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Grand Theatre.  
Bankrupt's petition for discharge—Latty Bros Granite Co.  
Adm'r notice—George M Roberts.  
Dr F P Laffin—Dentist.  
National grange tour to California.  
Clark-Urbas—Show.  
Ellsworth Loan & Bldg Ass'n—Statement.  
In bankruptcy—Christopher H. Brinton.  
J C Rockwell's Sunny South Co.—Show.  
BAR HARBOR, ME.:  
For sale—Jiggers.  
BATH, ME.:  
Machinists—Wanted.

### SCHEDULE OF MAILS AT ELLSWORTH POSTOFFICE. In effect June 21, 1915.

#### MAILS RECEIVED. Week Days.

FROM WEST—6.55, 7.11, 11.16 a. m. (except Monday), 4.21 (except Sunday), 6.18 p. m.  
FROM EAST—12.28 (except Sunday), 5.25, 10.37 p. m. (10.31 and 10.37 mails not distributed until following morning.)

#### MAIL CLOSING AT POSTOFFICE

GOING WEST—11.55 a. m.; 3.45, 5 p. m.  
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Sundays.  
Arrives from the west at 6.55, 11.16 a. m., 6.40 p. m. Closes for west 3.45, 5 p. m.

Registered mail should be at postoffice half an hour before mail closes.

### CONDENSED TIME TABLE.

WEEK DAYS.  
Trains arrive at Ellsworth from the west at 6.55, 7.15, 11.16 a. m., 4.21 and 6.18 p. m.  
Trains leave Ellsworth for the west at 7.37 a. m., 12.35, 4.11, 5.35, 10.31 and 10.37 p. m.

SUNDAYS.  
Arrive from the west at 6.55, 9.11 and 11.16 a. m., 4.40 p. m. Leave for the west at 6.39 a. m., 4.11, 5.35, 10.31 and 10.37 p. m.

### WEATHER IN ELLSWORTH.

For Week Ending at Midnight Tuesday, Aug. 31, 1915.

[From observations taken at the power station of the Bar Harbor & Union River Power Co., in Ellsworth. Precipitation is given in inches for the twenty-four hours ending at midnight.]

	Temperature		Weather	Precipitation
	4 a m	12 m		
Wed	65	65	rain	.68
Thurs	60	73	fair	.00
Fri	49	67	clear	fair
Sat	49	65	clear	fair
Sun	52	62	cloudy, rain	cloudy
Mon	60	60	cloudy rain	.12
Tues	59	64	cloudy, fair	fair

Mrs. Everard L. Moore is visiting in Madison.

Charles L. Mitchell is ill of lead poisoning from paint.

Miss Helen E. Perry, of Newton Mass., is visiting at the Franklin house.

Regular services will be resumed at the Congregational church next Sunday.

Rev. R. B. Mathews, wife and daughter Louise are in Damariscotta for a short visit.

Miss Louise Seeds leaves to-day for Auburn to work in the Ault-Williamson shoe factory.

Mrs. E. M. Gordon of Melrose, Mass., is visiting Mrs. H. H. Emerson and other friends in Ellsworth.

Harold E. Woodward, who has spent the summer in Ellsworth, leaves to-day for his home in Bogota, N. J.

Edwin M. Moore, Jr., returned home Saturday, after spending a few weeks with his brother at Gott's Island.

Mrs. Howard Hooper entertained a party of fifteen friends at a clam-bake at Lamoine Beach last Sunday.

L. E. Kimball has returned to his home in Boston after a visit of a month with his cousin, Wellington Haslam.

Clarence B. Day, with his wife and little son Robert, has been spending a vacation of two weeks camping at Beech Hill pond.

The regular meetings of Irene chapter, O. E. S., which have been suspended during the summer months, will be resumed next Friday evening.

Libeous D. Patten and Mrs. Agnes E. Staples, both of this city, were married last Monday evening by Rev. P. A. A. Killam, at the Baptist parsonage.

Mrs. Harriet C. Davis, who has spent the last year in California, sailed last Wednesday from San Francisco on the steamship Finland, for New York, by the Panama canal route.

Alonso Trafton, who has been the guest of Miss Agnes Marshall, of this city, left Saturday for Bar Harbor, where he will spend a few days before returning to his home in Atlantic, Mass.

There will be a regular meeting of the woman's relief corps Thursday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. As this is the first meeting since the vacation, it is hoped that all members will be present.

It is expected that Rev. Mr. Garland, of Portland, will preach in the Methodist church next Sunday at 10.30. At 7.30, motion pictures, subject, "The Spirit of the Conqueror," in five parts.

Ellsworth friends of Walter M. Allen, who is seriously ill at his home in Mt. Desert, are pleased to know that there has been a decided improvement in his condition during the past week.

Mrs. M. J. Thorsen and son Leon, accompanied by Mrs. Renel Bridges and daughter Hope, who have been visiting Mrs. Henry Michaelis, leave to-day for their home in Weehawken, N. J.

K. H. Greely's Maine Todd was the blue ribbon stallion of the Bangor fair. Mr. Greely showed Maine Todd before the grand stand Friday, the horse and the veteran horseman receiving an ovation.

The annual reunion of the Murch family was held at Bayside grange hall Thursday, with twelve members of the family and two visitors present. The tables were decorated with ferns and cut

flowers. All enjoyed a picnic dinner at 2 o'clock. No business meeting was held, owing to the absence of the secretary and treasurer.

Mrs. Cordelia Lowell, of East Boston, is the guest of Mrs. LaCordia Lord. Mrs. Lowell is a former resident of Ellsworth, but this is her first visit here in twenty-eight years.

Mrs. E. E. Springer, who accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Paine, to Wisconsin several weeks ago, arrived home Monday. She visited in New York, Connecticut and Massachusetts on her way home.

Bills are out in Ellsworth for the Maine music festival to be held at Bangor Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Oct. 7, 8 and 9. Ellsworth will be represented in the chorus by twenty to twenty-five voices.

Miss Mamie Gray is spending a few weeks with E. M. Moore and wife on Pine street. Miss Gray is taking a course in the training school for nurses of the Protestant Episcopal hospital in Philadelphia.

Ernest F. Osgood, of Berlin, N. H., with his wife and son Stanton, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Irving Osgood. E. C. Osgood and wife went to Berlin Friday, returning to Ellsworth with his brother by automobile.

Alfred Moore and wife, who are spending the summer at their cottage "Hide-away", Gott's Island, spent the week-end with Mr. Moore's parents, E. M. Moore and wife. Miss Clara Moore also spent the week-end with her parents.

Aurilla A., daughter of the late Calvin Peck, a former prominent resident of Ellsworth, died last Thursday at Springfield, Mass., aged sixty-nine years. The body was brought here for interment, accompanied by a cousin, Edward McAllister.

Miss Catherine Carney and Elizabeth Royal have returned from their visit to Green Lake. Last week they entertained Misses Vena, Margery and Bertha Hagerthy and Catherine Osgood. They were chaperoned by Mrs. Hagerthy and Mrs. Osgood.

Frank J. Hamm, chairman of the republican State committee, was the guest of Congressman Peters in Ellsworth last Thursday. He was entertained at dinner at the Jordan Pond house, Seal Harbor, and made a short trip to the eastern part of the county.

J. C. Rockwell's "Sunny South" company is booked for Hancock hall for Thursday evening, Sept. 9. This is the colored organization that appeared here about two years ago, giving a clean show, with exceptionally good vaudeville acts, and a laugh from start to finish.

The Unitarian church will re-open next Sunday at 10.30 a. m. It is the purpose of the minister to preach a series of sermons dealing with the basic principles of Unitarianism. Next Sunday Mr. Tickle will take for his subject: "The God We Believe In." The Sunday school will meet at 11.45.

John P. Phillips, one of the well-known residents of North Ellsworth, died suddenly of heart disease last Thursday evening. Mr. Phillips had appeared as well as usual during the day. He was taken with a sudden heart attack just after eating his supper, and in a moment was dead. Mr. Phillips was sixty years of age. He leaves a widow and one daughter.

Hattie M., wife of David Marshall, of Trenton, died Monday, in the sixty-ninth year of her age. She was a sister of Capt. George W. and Perry W. Alley, of this city. Other brothers and sisters living are Mrs. Emma Winterbotham, of Lamoine; Samuel and Fairfield Alley, of Trenton, and Mrs. Mary Eslington, of Iowa. Mrs. Marshall leaves, besides her husband, two sons and two daughters.

George Lovell, of Washington Junction, was arraigned in the Ellsworth municipal court yesterday, on complaint of Joseph Lavasseur, of North Lamoine, charged with larceny of a dog. The Lovell boy claimed the dog followed him home, and was later taken away by another person. He thought he could get the dog back for the owner. He pleaded not guilty to the charge, but was adjudged guilty, sentence being suspended on condition that he return the dog within forty-eight hours.

Camp "Unecda Rest", at Green Lake, owned by several Ellsworth men, was burned Sunday afternoon. One of the owners was at the camp for a short time during the day, and had a light fire in the stove. He left about 2 o'clock, and thinks the fire in the stove must have been out by that time, and cannot believe that the fire started from it. The camp was one of the older ones on the west shore of the lake, and had been the scene of many happy gatherings. There was a small insurance.

The pastor of the Baptist church took the first instalment of his vacation by attending the Brookton camping meeting. In his absence last Sunday, the pulpit was filled by P. W. Carson, of Danforth. A pleasant feature of the service was the fine solo rendered by Miss Ethel Bishop, who is the soprano in the choir of Trinity Congregational church, Lawrence, Mass. Her sister, Miss Rosella Bishop, was the accompanist. Both ladies are nieces of Mrs. G. M. B. Sprague, of High street, with whom they have been visiting.

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### CONSIDER PROPOSITION.

Ellsworth Business Men Show Interest in Industrial Project.  
Ellsworth business men gave evidence of their lively interest in any new industrial project for Ellsworth by turning out in force at the meeting Monday afternoon, when a proposition for the establishment here of a new industry was laid before them.

I. L. Halman, of Boston and Ellsworth, who is interested in the establishment of the plant and would like to see it located in Ellsworth, and Mr. Wildes, who is financially interested in the project, appeared before the Ellsworth men.

The industry in question is a wool-scouring plant, operated on new and improved methods. Briefly, the proposition as laid before the men of Ellsworth by Mr. Halman, is for the establishment to locate here provided the business men of Ellsworth will furnish a building for as long a time as the company continues to operate the plant, to furnish free water and exempt the company from all except a nominal tax for a term of ten years, and secure electric power at a nominal rate.

The building which Mr. Halman had in mind was the former shoe factory or knitting mill at the corner of School and Church streets, which he thought could be adapted to the business. It would be necessary to extend the lower floor, and if, as understood here, the lower floor must be 250 feet long, this would be impracticable, as the lot on which the building is located is only 175 feet long.

The plant would employ at the outset about thirty-five hands, with the possibility of early increase to seventy-five. Mr. Halman felt sure that such a plant as this would result in bringing several other allied industries to Ellsworth.

In the absence of details as to the requirements for alterations on the building, the amount of water which would be used, and the approximate cost to Ellsworth, no definite answer could be given to the proposition at the meeting Monday. A committee was appointed to secure these details and report at another meeting of the business men to be held Monday, Sept. 13. The committee appointed is composed of Howard B. Moor, Fulton J. Redman, Harry E. Vose, B. T. Sowle and Charles H. Leland.

### MOUTH OF THE RIVER.

Miss Ruth Tate spent the week-end with Miss Mildred Fullerton.

Thomas Plinkham has gone to Portland, where he has employment.

Mrs. William McFarland has gone to Bar Harbor to join her husband.

Frederick Stone and sister Mabel, of Lawrence, Mass., are visiting their uncle, Harris Pratt.

Mrs. Ora Murch, who has been in California the past three years, is in Portsmouth, N. H., with her father, G. W. Murch.

Mrs. Shirlee Holt, with two children, of Portsmouth, N. H., who has been visiting her husband's parents, Capt. H. B. Holt and wife, left for her home last Wednesday.

Mrs. Mary A. Betts and daughter, Mrs. L. C. Conant, of Dedham, Mass., and Mrs. J. A. Wells and son Herbert, of Dorchester, Mass., have returned from Winter Harbor, where they were guests of Mrs. H. E. Frazier.

### Methodist Fair Week.

The picture program at the Bijou and Strand, under the management of the Methodist fair committee for the three days of the fair, Sept. 29 and 30 and Oct. 1, will be as follows:

"The Envoy Extraordinary," in five parts.  
"Home or Death," in five parts.  
"Without Hope," in four parts.  
"Doc," from the story of the *Saturday Evening Post*, by Eleanor Gates, author of the "Poor Little Rich Girl".  
"Nell of the Circus," from the play of the same name, with the original cast.  
"Called Back," from Hugh Conway's well-known novel.

### Nicolin Grange Fair.

Nicolin grange will hold its fifth annual bazaar, fair, shooting-match and dance Tuesday, Oct. 12, at the grange hall at North Ellsworth.

### COMING EVENTS.

#### ELLSWORTH.

Thursday, Sept. 2, at Hancock hall—Klerk-Urbas company in "Stop Thief". Tickets, 25, 35 and 50 cents; on sale at box office. Curtain promptly at 8, owing to length of play.

Thursday evening, Sept. 9, at Hancock hall—J. C. Rockwell's Sunny South company. Tickets, 25, 35 and 50 cents; on sale at box office.

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Sept. 29, 30 and Oct. 1, at Hancock hall—Methodist church domestic and agricultural fair.

Tuesday, Oct. 12—at Grange hall, North Ellsworth—Annual bazaar, fair and shooting match of Nicolin grange.

#### COUNTY.

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Sept. 8-10—Hancock county teachers' convention at Ellsworth.

Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 8 and 9—County Sunday school convention at Baptist church, Bluehill.

#### STATE.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Oct. 7, 8 and 9—Maine music festival at Bangor.

#### FAIR DATES.

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Aug. 31, Sept. 1 and 2—Bluehill fair.

Monday Sept. 6—Alamooseok grange fair, East Orland.

Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 8 and 9—Eden fair.

Wednesday, Sept. 22—Narramissic grange fair, Orland.

Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 22 and 23—North Ellsworth fair.

Tuesday, Sept. 28—Pamola grange fair at Hancock.

Wednesday, Oct. 6—Mariaville grange fair.

#### REUNIONS.

Sept. 4—Tracy family at Gouldsboro Points. If stormy, the following Monday.

Sept. 4—Fullerton family at Bayside grange hall, Ellsworth.

Sept. 9—Bunker family in the hall at West Gouldsboro. If stormy the first pleasant day.

Sept. 10—Butler family at Hardison's grove, West Franklin; if stormy the following day.

Sept. 11—Saunders family at West Surry.

Sept. 11—Haslam family at town hall, Waltham.

# Ellsworth Food Fair --'16 BOOST!



SUNDAY SCHOOL

Lesson X.—Third Quarter, For Sept. 5, 1915.

THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.

Text of the Lesson, 1 Kings xviii, 30-38—Memory Verses, 36, 37—Golden Text, Prov. xv, 23—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

Elijah had been so safely hidden by the Lord during the three years that though Ahab had searched for him everywhere, in all lands, he could not be found (verse 10). How safe are those whom the Lord hides, and all His redeemed are hid with Christ in God (Col. iii, 3; Ex. xxxiii, 22; Isa. li, 10; Zeph. ii, 3). As by the word of the Lord he was sent into hiding at Cherith and Sarepta, so by the same word he is now commanded to shew himself to Ahab (xviii, 2, 8; xviii, 1). He was indeed a man of God, God's representative, acting only for God and in His name, and, as in the resurrection of the widow's son he foreshadowed Him who is the resurrection and the life, so the words "shew thyself" remind us of Him who after His resurrection from the dead "showed Himself alive" again and again during the forty days (John xxi, 1, 4; Acts i, 3).

We are glad to meet Obadiah, whose name means "servant of Jehovah," and to see him saving the life of and caring for a hundred of the Lord's prophets (xviii, 4, 13). As we see him the governor of Ahab's house we think of Joseph in Egypt overseer of Potiphar's house (Gen. xxxix, 1-6). Good men are often in difficult places for the glory of God. As Obadiah and Ahab went each his way to search for grass for the horses Elijah met Obadiah and told him to tell Ahab that he was on hand (xviii, 8, 11, 14). Obadiah was at first afraid that Elijah might again disappear, but on being assured that he would surely shew himself to Ahab he went to meet Ahab and told him, and Ahab went to meet Elijah (xviii, 15, 16). Fearlessly Elijah accused Ahab of forsaking the Lord and serving Baal and ordered him to gather all Israel and the prophets of Baal to Mount Carmel, and this Ahab did, for the word of the Lord in the mouth of Elijah was with power (xviii, 17-20).

Elijah boldly demanded of the people to decide whether they would follow Jehovah or Baal and not continue haiting between two opinions. But the people were dumb. Then he said that, though he was but one against 450, he would suggest a test and that they should worship the God who answered by fire, and to this they agreed (21-24). He gave the prophets of Baal the first opportunity, and, following his instructions, they prepared their sacrifice and cried unto their god from morning until noon, "O Baal, hear us!" But there was no answer. Elijah mocked them and urged them to cry louder, saying that he must be busy or on a journey or perhaps asleep. So they cried aloud, and leaped upon the altar, and cut themselves till the blood gushed out, and kept it up till the time of the evening sacrifice. But it was all in vain, for there was no answer of any kind, and no unseen power regarded their cries (25-29).

We may wonder why the devil missed such an opportunity to honor his worshippers, for the time will come when he will send fire from heaven (Rev. xiii, 13), but he can do nothing without permission from God, and he was surely restrained this time. Now consider Elijah as he called the people to him, repaired the altar of the Lord and, taking twelve stones to represent the twelve tribes of Israel, built an altar in the name of the Lord, put the wood in order, prepared the sacrifice and drenched the whole with twelve barrels of water until the water ran about the altar and filled the trench (30-35). Listen now to Elijah talking to his God, not crying aloud nor with frenzy or demonstration of any kind, but calmly, with quietness and confidence. "Lord God of Abraham, of Isaac and of Israel, let it be known this day that thou art God in Israel, and that I am thy servant, and that I have done all these things at thy word. Hear me, O Lord, hear me, that this people may know that Thou art the Lord God and that Thou hast turned their heart back again."

How the great multitude must have listened to this simple prayer and how intently they watched this lonely man of God! We, too, have been watching him and listening to him talking to his God, the God of Israel, the only living and true God, and now behold the answer, "Then the fire of the Lord fell and consumed the burned sacrifice and the wood and the stones and the dust and licked up the water that was in the trench." How can we refrain from shouting "Jehovah, He is the God!" (Verses 36-39). And we must add: "Who is like unto Thee, O Lord, among the gods? Who is like Thee, glorious in holiness, fearful in praises, doing wonders?" (Ex. xv, 11). Quickly were the prophets of Baal slain, and Elijah said to Ahab, "There is a sound of abundance of rain." Then Elijah went to the top of Carmel to pray, and it was patient, earnest, persevering prayer, for the servant went seven times to look before he saw the indication of the coming storm in the form of a cloud like a man's hand, suggestive of Elijah's hand taking hold of God (verses 40-46; Jas. v, 18). If our aim is simply to glorify God we may safely set upon Jer. xxxiii, 3. Consider David and Hezekiah in 1 Kings xvii, 45-47; II Kings xix, 19, and fear not to pray (Ps. cxi, 21, 27).

Mutual Benefit Column.

EDITED BY "AUNT MADGE".

Its Motto: "Helpful and Hopeful."

The purposes of this column are succinctly stated in the title and motto—it is for the mutual benefit, and aims to be helpful and hopeful. Being for the common good, it is for the common use—a public servant, a purveyor of information and suggestion, a medium for the interchange of ideas. In this capacity it solicits communications, and its success depends largely on the support given it in this respect. Communications must be signed, but the name of writer will not be printed except by permission. Communications will be subject to approval or rejection by the editor of the column, but none will be rejected without good reason. Address all communications to THE AMERICAN, Ellsworth, Me.

Dear M. B. Friends:

This week we will give you some of the good letters and messages we received and listened to, while we were enjoying the reunion at Dell's. Next week you may expect a report of our doings from Moll, to whom we assigned that privilege—or shall we call it duty?

From B. E. S. came the following poem which she writes was sent her by H. O. H.:

I seek in prayerful words, dear friends,  
My heart's true wish to send you,  
That you may know that, far or near,  
My loving thoughts attend you.

I cannot find a truer word  
Nor fonder to care you,  
Nor song nor poem I have heard  
Is sweeter than, God bless you.

God bless you: So I've wished you all  
Of brightness life possesses;  
For can there any joy at all  
Be thine unless God blesses?

God bless you, so I breathe a charm  
Lest grief's dark night oppress you,  
For how can sorrow bring you harm  
If 'tis God's way to bless you.

Written by Julia A. Baker. —B. E. S.

Here's to thee and thy folks,  
From me and my folks;  
For ever since folks was folks,  
There never was such folks  
As thee and thy folks  
To me and my folks.

Dear Aunt Madge:

Do not look for us at the reunion, for we are not going; no, we haven't the heart to get ready even—so shall keep our faces out of sight; but I sincerely hope you will have the best day and time that the M. B.'s have ever had when gathered together. Just laugh and be glad, and I'll think of you "many of times," and hope that the sun will shine, for this summer the sun is a great treat. We shall have to worship the sun I guess, same as they did years ago, "tis such a rarity, what say?"

We are not done saying yet, have a little out in this rain, and our son Herbert said last night if it rained any more, he couldn't get his hay; the mud and water would be so deep. He has mired his horses and had them down. So he's had to unharness them and roll them over to get where it was more solid and get them on their feet. We call it an awful season, and 'tis really worse in some parts of Massachusetts, so Brenda writes, for there they haven't kept their vegetable gardens from mildew. Here the gardens are all right and so are my flowers. I've piles of them, and they comfort me so much.

I am, yours sincerely and truly,

AUNT MARIA.

My Dear M. B.'s, One and All:  
Here's hoping that this day may be all that can be desired in every way—plenty of sunshine, so that all may feel it deep down in their hearts and enjoy the day to the utmost, is the sincere wish of one that would love to meet with you and see the old familiar faces and the many new ones which we hope may be there this year.

How I shall think of the many good things there to eat, and of every one flying around helping themselves, as this is to be a really and truly picnic. To Dell and her John let me say, thank you for the kind invitation to meet with them in their spacious home and lovely grounds.

It has always been one of the bright spots to be able to go with you at these yearly reunions, so shall follow you all the way from start to finish.

Love and lots of it to all who may be gathered, from

ANN.

Dear Aunt Madge and M. B. Sisters:

Saw by the announcement that the reunion of the M. B. would be at Dell's home. Sorry we cannot be present. We do not expect to visit Maine this fall. I am entertaining the hope of having my mother visit me. My brother B. will visit Maine next month, and she will come back with him.

I was sorry to learn of Dell's John getting his foot injured. Hope he may soon be able to attend to his work. If rheumatism should affect his foot, massage with a salve made by steeping tansy in skunk grease.

A friend of mine was benefited by it, after several liniments failed.

Irish Molly's graham brown bread is delicious. I frequently cook it to be served with boiled vegetables. I can just imagine how much she enjoyed her outing.

I recently learned to make baked bean omelet. To a cup of baked beans add equal amount of bread crumbs and one egg; form in cakes, and fry in deep fat. They are nice.

I hope you are favored with pleasant weather for the reunion. Best wishes to all.

From L. E. T. and Mrs. Jones.

P. S.—Mabel has been very ill of acute indigestion, but is improving slowly. Will not be able to attend reunion.

191 Vine St., West Lynn, Mass.  
ELLSWORTH, Aug. 25, 1915.  
To the Hostess, Aunt Madge, and all the M. B.'s:  
I hope these showers of to-day will clear it off so it will be pleasant to-morrow. I don't expect to be able to go, but I want it to be pleasant for the others. To-morrow I will think of you all seated around Dell's table at noon, and wish I could be there. But if it is pleasant, my John will be away having, and I shall have to stay at home. I suppose Uncle Mark and Aunt Maria and little Carolyn will be there. I would like to see her, for her grandmother was my cousin.

I began a letter some time ago. Will try to finish it soon. Oh, I passed S. J. Y.'s a while ago, and when I came home it was lamp-light, and it looked so pleasant to look in and see some one sitting there.

I shall be with you in spirit to-morrow, and hope a good number will be there. With best regards to all, I remain

Yours truly,  
PANSY.

Dear Aunt Madge, M. B. Sisters and Friends:  
After reading the announcement that the M. B. family would meet with Dell and her John, Aug. 26, I said to myself, now, if I owned an automobile and had good health, I would surely be there, but as I have neither, I must content myself to remain at home—

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and when the day arrives, I will try to imagine that I see the sisters with their Johns sitting around the tables, partaking of a bountiful dinner, and later assembled on Dell's broad piazza enjoying a social hour or two together.

To all I send cordial greetings, and to the sick or sorrowing members, who are unable to attend the reunion, I extend sympathy.

ALEXIA.

Dear Mutuals:

After so long an absence from the column I feel almost too much of a stranger to claim membership, but nevertheless I am always interested in reading the column, and though being absent from home so much THE AMERICAN always follows me. Often there is no news from our correspondent, but Aunt Madge never fails. Wouldn't it give the M. B.'s a surprise to see what "Aunt Madge has to say," and she has nothing! Let us hope that time is in the far distance.

I want to tell the M. B.'s what a delightful evening we spent with B. E. S. on her birthday. The ladies of the mission circle gave her a genuine surprise. She has been unable to meet with us for some time, but her interest is always with the circle and the cause it represents. The evening was spent in a social manner. Mrs. Greene kindly consented to give a reading, which was much enjoyed by all. Of course we had something to eat, and such a display of home-made candy. A friend remarked "that it looked like a candy sale!"

The daughter brought in a beautiful birthday cake brilliantly illuminated with candles, which adorned the center table. This was served with coffee and fancy cakes, and last, but not least, came the candy, which was of great variety and excellence. We regretted that Zilla and Idora could not be present, but the anniversary was remembered by them very kindly.

The evening passed very quickly, and each guest departed leaving best wishes for many happy returns of the day, and our hostess thanks her friends for coming with their good cheer and heartfelt greetings. It will surely always linger as a pleasant memory.

Last week the women of our vicinity were requested to meet in the hall in the interest of "woman suffrage." My friend and I went, expecting to hear a lecture or speeches, but in this we were disappointed. It was called to consider the advisability of securing Mrs. Florence Kelley, general secretary of the National Consumers League. She is said to be a wonderful speaker and thoroughly informed on this topic, which is interesting to many women of to-day. It was voted to invite her to come the evening of Aug. 26 and send notices to all near-by towns that all, both men and women, may have the opportunity of hearing this talented speaker, and learn something of this great subject. Now we are awaiting her reply. Let me add here that when we returned from this woman suffrage meeting, my friend (much to her surprise) found her husband trying his hand at the family ironing; probably anxiously contemplating what the future had in store for him.

Now, Aunt Madge, when and where is the reunion to take place? I hope to be there; was very sorry to miss the gathering last year. Best wishes to all.

H. O. B.  
A poem from Esther—a fine reunion greeting—will head the history of the gathering in the column next week. Thanks to all who sent letters and telephone messages. That we might have seen every M. B. there is the wish of

AUNT MADGE.

HANCOCK POINT.

John F. Seaman, of Foughkeepsie, N. Y., a summer resident here for several years, died suddenly last Thursday evening. He had been in ill health for some time, but his death was quite unexpected. He leaves a widow and one daughter.

Myrtle Conary is visiting Beale Tufts. School began Aug. 30; Miss Nichols, of Cherryfield, teacher.

Capt. J. G. Martin will stay at home for a while and run a public automobile. Capt. Sibley Moon has gone in his vessel.

Aug. 30. C.

Most disagreeing skin eruptions, scrofula, pimples, rashes, etc., are due to impure blood. Burdock Blood Bitters as a cleansing blood tonic, is well recommended. \$1.00 at all stores.—Adv.

Among the Grangers.

This column is devoted to the Grange, especially to the granges of Hancock county. The column is open to all grangers for the discussion of topics of general interest, and for reports of grange meetings. Make letters short and concise. All communications must be signed, but names will not be printed except by permission of the writer. All communications will be subject to approval by the editor, but none will be rejected without good reason.

Tuesday, Sept. 7.—Field-day grange meeting at Bluehill mineral spring. If stormy, meeting will be held Sept. 8; if stormy on that day, meeting of will be indefinitely postponed, as speaker cannot be held beyond that date.

Saturday, Sept. 11.—Meeting of Green Mountain Pomona with Mariaville grange.

MARIVILLE, 441.

Aug. 21, the committee for the fair to be held Oct. 6 was appointed. At the next meeting a collection will be taken for a member. Sept. 8 will be clean-up day at the ball. It is hoped a good crowd will be present.

RAINBOW, 208, NORTH BROOKSVILLE.  
Aug. 26 a fine program was presented, under the management of Sisters Stella Lymburner and Phoebe Wessel. Program: Reading, Clara Gott; music, worthy secretary, clippings, Mattie Grindle, Harold Dow; song, Sister Howard; recitation, Edna Grindle; stories, Fred Wessel, Angie Cousins; conundrums, Mr. Dow; reading, Phoebe Wessel; comic story, Adelbert Gott; music, Lela Howard; reading, Stella Lymburner; clippings, Mrs. Dow. Refreshments were served.

SCENIC, 529, WALTHAM.

August 25, only a few members and visitors were present at a special meeting. The lecturer pro tem. furnished a program of conundrums.

NEW CENTURY, 356, DEDHAM.  
Members of Lakeview and Nicoln granges visited New Century grange Aug. 28. The evening was pleasantly spent. One candidate took initiatory degrees and one application was received. The program included graphophone selections, stories by Walter Gray, Maurice Miller; piano solos by Marcia Burrill; reading, Mary Burrill; remarks by visitors.

STONINGTON.

Mrs. Judson Torrey is visiting her son Guy at Bar Harbor.

Harry Greenlaw is home from nearly a year's residence in Portland, Ore.

Elmer E. Crockett and wife attended the Crockett reunion at Glen Cove.

Mrs. Henry Hulen, of Lynn, Mass., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Wells.

Mrs. W. H. Goss has returned from several weeks' visit with friends in Massachusetts.

Fred A. Torrey and wife will leave Sept. 1 in their automobile for a trip to the White Mountains.

Schools begin Sept. 13. Several changes in teachers are announced. Florian Aray has a position in the high school.

Miss Annie Thurlow has returned from a visit of several weeks in Ellsworth with her sister, Mrs. Horace B. Haskell.

A New York man interested in the stone business, a guest of Frank McGuire, is getting samples of stone from the different quarries, rumor says, for the new Pittsburgh postoffice.

Aug. 30. Nihil.

MCKINLEY.

C. S. Leutwiler is in town.

Miss Inez Lawson is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ernest Murphy.

Miss Myrtle Maddocks spent last week at her home in Brewer.

Miss Grace Gott is visiting Miss Gladys McKay in Howland.

Capt. Charles Robbins was in Bangor last week on business.

S. T. Rich visited Charles Martin last week, returning to Boston Friday.

E. B. Parkhurst, of Massachusetts, is spending his vacation here.

Mrs. E. F. Dunbar, Mrs. Ethel Wilson and daughter Ruth returned Saturday to Portland.

J. T. Knowlton came home Saturday from Opechee, where he has been doing some carpentering.

Misses Elizabeth and Marion Sterling, of Peaks Island, who have been visiting their aunt, Mrs. Thayer Sterling, at Duck Island light station, returned home Saturday.

Aug. 30. P. M.

SOUTH PENOBSCOT.

J. W. Littlefield, of Portland, was in town recently.

The annual sale at Bagaduce hall was a success. Proceeds, about \$35.

Miss Ethel Reed, of Northeast Harbor, is the guest of Chester Smith and wife.

Aug. 23. L.

Mrs. E. W. Clement is visiting in Bangor.

Edwin Leach, who has been employed at Dark Harbor, is home.

Ralph Wooster and wife visited their parents at Franklin last week.

Mrs. Roland Grindle, who has been visiting at Lynn, Mass., is home.

Mrs. Bert Grindle is spending her vacation with her mother at Camden.

Mrs. Fred Beale and daughter Lillian are spending a few days in Brookline, Mass.

Miss Ethel Reed, who has been visiting Rev. C. A. Smith and wife, has returned to Northeast Harbor.

Aug. 30. MAY.

PARTRIDGE COVE.

William Emery, Jr., and wife and Mrs. E. E. Emery spent the week-end here.

Miss Perle Young went to Bar Harbor Thursday, returning Sunday night. Miss Adelaide McFarland, of Auburn, came with her for a visit.

Aug. 30. HUBBARD.

The KITCHEN GUPBOARD

WHAT TO EAT.

**Cream Pie.**  
Mix one cupful sugar and half cupful flour together. Add the yolks of two eggs and four table-spoonfuls of sweet milk. Season with a pinch of salt. Stir together and put into a pint of boiling milk. Keep stirring until thoroughly cooked. Bake the crust and use as a foundation for mixture. Have the whites of eggs beaten to a stiff froth by adding one-half cupful powdered sugar. Flavor with vanilla and spread over. Brown in oven and add two cupfuls of whipped cream.

**Here's a Novelty.**  
Two cupfuls of minced parsley, four cupfuls of diced potatoes and one cupful of minced onion. Put all in saucepan and add two quarts of cold water and set over fire to boil. When the vegetables are very soft rub through a colander and turn into pan. Add one even teaspoonful of salt and curry powder to suit taste. Whip one pint of cream in a pitcher, add slowly to soup, stirring constantly.

**Tomato Purée.**  
Fry a clove of garlic or a few slices of onion in two table-spoonfuls of butter. When brown remove the garlic and stir in a table-spoonful of flour. Stir in a cupful of stewed tomatoes and when thoroughly heated add a cupful of macaroni which is well cooked. Mix in a cupful of finely minced cold veal. Stir constantly until it is heated thoroughly. Season to taste.

**Spanish Steak.**  
Season a thick, juicy steak and lay in a baking pan. Cover the steak with a generous layer of chopped celery, parsley, onions, tomatoes and sliced ripe olives. Strew lumps of butter over this, pour a cupful of water about the bottom of the pan and bake. The layer of vegetables and olives makes an excellent sauce.

**Potatoes and Olives.**  
Cut boiled potatoes into dice and cover with a thick seasoned cream sauce which has been plentifully filled with sliced ripe olives. Pour into well buttered baking dish and bake.

**Egg and Ripe Olive Sandwich.**  
Slice hard boiled eggs and place upon the center of each a slice of ripe olive. Place upon a layer of thin white bread, spread lightly with mayonnaise and cover with another layer of bread.

*Anna Thompson.*

MARLBORO.

Colman Hodgkins is ill.

Herbert Allen and wife, of Dexter, were guests of Mrs. A. B. Remick last Friday.

Albert Hodgkins, wife and two children, Milton and Mildred, of Bar Harbor, spent last week here.

Harlan Hodgkins and wife, of Ellsworth, spent Sunday with Mr. Hodgkins father, C. F. Hodgkins, who is quite ill.

Miss Minnie Elzeper, who has been boarding with Mrs. Annie Remick, has returned to her home in Franklin, N. H.

Mrs. Grace Barron, Mrs. Annie Remick and Master Robert Wilbur spent a few days last week with friends in Lakewood and Otis.

Aug. 30. ANN.

ISLESFORD.

The kindergarten school closes this week.

A grand ball is to be held Sept. 1, at Neighborhood hall. Kelley's orchestra.

Mrs. Annie Tomlinson and son, of New York, are guests of Mrs. Everett Fernald.

Mrs. H. E. Stanley and daughter Alice, who have spent the summer at Keene, N. H., are home.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith, who have occupied the Stover cottage this summer, return to their home in Connecticut this week. Dr. Malcolm Stover and family, of Boston, have been at "Woodlawn" until their house is vacated.

Aug. 30. S.

A Kitchen Martyr.

Even the kitchen can boast its martyrs. Chief among these was Vatel, the chief cook of Conde, who ran himself through the heart with a sword because the fish had not arrived in time for a banquet which his master was giving Louis XIV. Vatel's pangs are to be found in the concluding volume of the "Almanach des Gourmands." "So noble a death insures you, venerable shade, the most glorious immortality! You have proved that the fanaticism of honor can exist in the kitchen as well as in the camp, and that the spit and the saucepan have also their Catos and their Decidues."—London Mail.

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COUNTY NEWS.

WEST EDEN.

Miss Ella Rogers, of Boston, is visiting her sister, Daisy Higgins.

Miss Hilda Higgins, of Bar Harbor, spent last week with her aunt, Mrs. Lorenzo Mayo.

Rev. G. Mayo, of Franklin, was in town recently. His mother, who has been visiting relatives and friends here the past month, accompanied him home.

H. H. Young and wife, of Eagle Lake, their son Charles, and his wife, of Hartford, Conn., also two daughters, Mrs. Alton Carter, of Houlton, and Mrs. Hugh Spratt, of Bar Harbor, were in town recently to see Mrs. E. E. Sargent, who is in poor health.

Aug. 30. M.

SURRY.

Maynard Carter has opened a barber shop here.

Mrs. Mary Lord, of Gardiner, is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Emeline Jarvis spent the week-end with Mrs. Harry Wood.

The high school began Monday, with Mrs. Freeman as principal.

Miss Minnie Townsend, with a friend from Baltimore, is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. M. Mills.

The community was saddened by the death of Reuben Osgood, a well-known citizen, who passed away Friday night, after a long illness. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Gahan officiating.

Aug. 30. L.

NORTH SEDGWICK.

Curtis Young has returned and opened up the blacksmith shop.

Harry Thurston went to Castine Sunday to visit his wife, who is ill at Dr. Webster's private hospital.

Aug. 23. A. G.

Wallace Hinckley, of Bluehill, is building a house for Curtis Young.

H. O. Staples has returned from Columbia Falls.



## MILLY'S PRIZE

Despite the Trick of a Rival, She Proved a Winner

By CLARISSA MACKIE

Milly Fenwick danced triumphantly around the kitchen table, whereon reposed the four loaves of bread which she had baked for the Little River fair. Big loaves they were, browned delicately without, snowy white and sweet within—perfect loaves of perfect bread.

"You silly child," smiled Mrs. Fenwick as she bustled into the room and caught Milly in the midst of her gay dance.

"Mother, did you ever see such beautiful bread?" challenged Milly, stopping breathlessly to implant a kiss on her mother's soft cheek.

"Never but once before," said Mrs. Fenwick, with a twinkle in her eyes.

"When was that?"

"Years ago when I baked my first loaves for the fair."

"Mother! And of course you took first prize?"

"Yes, I did—and I bought my wedding gown with the money."

Milly blushed furiously.

"Well, of course you were engaged to father, but I'm not engaged to any one, but I know what I shall buy with the first prize money if I get it."

"What shall you buy?" asked Mrs. Fenwick indulgently.

"Chickens. Yes, I truly am going to raise chickens and see if I can't make money enough to pay off that little scrap of a mortgage on the place."

"Dear child," sighed Mrs. Fenwick, "it would be the biggest blessing in the world if you could. It would be such a relief to your father. That little balance of \$200 has worried him for five years, and he cannot seem to get ahead so he can pay it off. It has been such a bad year, and he has had to hire so much help because of his illness."

"You can't say anything that I have not already thought of," protested Milly as she buttered the crusty loaves and tossed a white napkin over them.

"I'm only afraid that Sadie Lownes will carry off the prize. She certainly is a good cook."

"She can't make handsomer loaves than those," asserted Mrs. Fenwick proudly.

"Well, we will see. I'm going upstairs to get ready, mother, and then I'm going to take the bread over to the tent," said Milly. And she flew out of the room with a whisk of her pink and white skirts.

"It's too bad for Sadie to carry off first prize in everything," mused Mrs. Fenwick as she stepped briskly about her tasks. "Every year she's carried off prizes for baking and fancy work, and I declare if she hasn't carried off the biggest matrimonial prize as well, for folks say she is engaged to Frank Barlow. I never could understand why it was that he stopped coming to see Milly all of a sudden. He seemed to think a lot of my girl, and I'm afraid she liked him too well."

When Milly Fenwick reached the big tent where the annual county fair was

held she found Sadie Lownes bustling around the table of domestic exhibits like a slim waisted wasp. Sadie was very tall and thin and ordered everybody about in an impudent, good natured manner that was very taking among her friends and quite disarming to her enemies. She was not pretty, but she had rather a fascinating manner of using her black eyes and tossing her dark head, but her face was thin and freckled, and her nose was too large for actual beauty.

Milly set down her big basket and, leaning against one of the poles that supported the tent, fanned her flushed face with her handkerchief.

"Milly Fenwick, you're as red as a beet!" exclaimed Sadie, darting at Milly's basket. "What have you got in here?"

"Please don't touch it," said Milly. "I shall open it presently."

Sadie pulled up a corner of the snowy towel and peered under. "Bread!" she cried, her black eyes snapping with excitement. "Do you know that we're the only competitors for the bread prize? Everybody else has gone in for cake."

"Indeed?" asked Milly indifferently. Susan Brown laughed sharply.

"Funny, ain't it?" she giggled, "but my brother heard Frank Barlow say that he didn't think any woman ought to get married till she could make a perfect loaf of bread. There's a calling. I must go," she ended hastily as Sadie's eyes shot sparks of fire.

Milly's pretty countenance went with the sickening wave of disgust that swept over her.

"I've a good mind not to exhibit my bread," exclaimed Sadie vindictively. She had another reason for being nettled—her own bread had come from the pans heavy and unwholesome looking, and her glance at Milly's loaves had revealed the unquestioned superiority of the latter's bread.

Milly picked up her basket and moved toward the table.

"I shall exhibit mine," she said evenly. "It is quite well known that I am not a contestant for anything save the Little River prize."

That was the meanest thing Milly Fenwick had ever said, and she regretted it instantly. Not only did the scarlet of anger spread over Sadie's narrow face, but there was another listener. Frank Barlow was passing at the moment, and his gray eyes met Milly's with a puzzled expression in their cool depths.

Sadie called him to assist her at another table, and so Milly was quite alone when she arranged her beautiful loaves of bread on the table which had been arranged in the form of a snowy pyramid on which were placed canned fruits, jellies, jams, pickles, cakes and needlework of every description, for every woman and girl in Little River made it a point to enter something in the competition for domestic prizes.

Milly placed the card bearing her name in the proper place among her four handsome loaves and then went away to join her friends at the other end of the tent. It was a busy afternoon and evening, and it was not until closing time that Milly found time to go and take another look at her precious loaves.

To her delight the judges were grouped around her exhibit, and she overheard several flattering remarks.

"It's my bread, mother," she whispered, pinching her mother's arm.

"I want to see it, dear," said Mrs. Fenwick as the judges moved away.

For a long time Milly Fenwick and her mother stood there and stared at the four big loaves of bread that bore the card of Sadie Lownes. Milly Fenwick's name was on the three little soggy loaves piled near by.

"Milly, that's not Sadie's bread!" cried Mrs. Fenwick indignantly.

"I know it, mother. Please don't say anything now. Come away," whispered Milly nervously, and she drew her mother aside as Sadie Lownes came to the table with her hand in Frank Barlow's arm.

"There, Mr. Barlow! What do you think of that for prize bread?" asked Sadie daintily. Her eyes shot an impudent glance at Milly's scornful face.

"I declare, Frank," she added in a lower tone, "Milly Fenwick acts so mean and jealous about this bread of mine! Really it makes me feel quite uncomfortable!"

Frank Barlow said nothing, but his eyes followed Milly's graceful form as she accompanied her mother from the tent. When he turned toward Miss Lownes' animated face there was a stern look about his mouth that made the frivolous Sadie quite uneasy.

Frank Barlow was the most well-to-do young farmer in Little River, and marriage with him meant a life of comparative ease for his wife. The Barlows were the moneyed people of Little River, and Sadie Lownes was ambitious.

"You haven't said that you admire my bread," chided Sadie.

"This is the finest bread I have ever seen," said Frank gravely.

"There! I am complimented!" cried Sadie. "Come! Take me home, Frank. I'm tired to death! There goes Milt Roberts. I suppose he's going home with Milly."

Frank winced, and he did not notice that Milt Roberts was accompanying stilly Susan Brown to her home and that Milly Fenwick drove soberly home with her parents.

The Fenwicks decided to say nothing about the change Sadie Lownes had made in the cards, and Milly winced more than once at the sly laughter of her acquaintances when they examined the hard little loaves that bore her name.

But she did not speak to Sadie Lownes. She passed that brazen young woman with contemptuous eyes, in which slumbered a resentment that would not be banished. The winning of the prize meant so much to Milly Fenwick, while to Sadie Lownes it meant nothing save the good opinion of Frank Barlow, for she had carried off first prize in jellies and cake as well as bread this year.

On the last day of the fair the prizes were awarded. Everybody had made the rounds of the tents, and they knew that Sadie Lownes had carried off first prize for the finest loaves.

Milly Fenwick was there, pale and silent. Her mother, indignant at the duplicity of Sadie Lownes and, recognizing the futility of trying to prove that the cards had been changed, had stayed at home, but Milly, aware that her absence would be attributed to jealousy because she had not won a prize, was there.

"Milt Roberts said your loaves would make good anchors for his boat," giggled Susan Brown in Milly's ear.

Milly smiled. A jump came into her throat as Frank Barlow, accompanied by Sadie Lownes, came around and paused by the domestic table. Several of the judges were there, and one of them had just congratulated Sadie on taking the first prize for bread when a little old colored woman pushed her way through the crowd.

It was Aunt Hepsey Spencer, who worked for the Lowneses.

"I jes' had ter come an' see wharf dat chile tooken de fust' prize fer dem little measly nubbins of bread!" she cried excitedly. "I wanter know ef dese yere Little Ribber housekeepers kaint make bread dat'll beat dem pesky little nubbins!" Aunt Hepsey struck a defiant hand in the direction of the little loaves that bore Milly's card.

"You can't read, Aunt Hepsey," volunteered a bystander. "That card

"I jes' had ter come an' see wharf dat chile tooken de fust' prize fer dem measly nubbins of bread."

says 'Miss Milly Fenwick.' There's Sadie's bread."

"G'way, chile! Doan' yo think I know Sadie Lownes' bread when I tooken it outer de oven myself? I says to her she'd nebbber take no prize wid it—Lordy, but it am cheezy to show off such pore stuff!"

"Aunt Hepsey, go home at once!" cried Sadie angrily.

"Rubbish!" snorted Aunt Hepsey sharply.

The judges looked uneasily from one to another. "If there has been any mistake"—hesitated Dr. Lamson.

Frank Barlow spoke in a low tone to the judges.

Those close by could hear and the words ran like fire through the tent.

"I happened to witness the changing of the cards," said Frank. "I was quite unseen at the time and I supposed it was a jest, but I find it was not. I believe these large loaves were baked by Miss Fenwick. Milly, are these not really your loaves?" he asked.

Milly nodded her head. Tears were very close to her eyes. Sadie Lownes carried off the affair with a high hand and her friends said it was a good joke on Milly Fenwick, but Milly's friends were indignant, although the girl had not a word to say against the daring Sadie.

Frank Barlow went home with Milly that evening and he learned that Milton Roberts had been engaged to Susan Brown for a year and that Milly—well, Milly Fenwick carried off the first prize for bread and the first matrimonial prize.

As for Sadie Lownes, she simply would not be vanquished.

She always pointed to Frank Barlow and his wife and said: "There, girls, I made that match!"

What's the Use?

A hideous green caterpillar was crawling slowly and loathsomely along a spitzelwood twig, writes the novelist of the Detroit Free Press.

Its eyes were pink and without lashes.

It had a horrid fuzzy spine running from its yellow ears all the way to its termination.

Unslightly purple whiskers almost hid its face.

"Never mind," thought the caterpillar. "I know I am ugly and disagreeable now, but wait, just wait. Soon I shall weave a cocoon about myself and take a nice long nap, and when I wake the cocoon will open and I shall emerge a dazzling, beautiful butterfly! I know the other insects look down on me now, but let them wait, that's all; let them wait!"

And in time, sure enough, the unsightly and unhappy caterpillar disappeared inside a smooth cocoon.

And then—a bewhiskered bugologist grabbed the cocoon with a howl of delight and plunged it in preserving alcohol.

Wrongly Placed.

"See here," said the excited citizen to the editor of the local newspaper, "what did you mean by printing as you did this announcement of my candidacy for the office of dogcatcher?"

"What's the matter with the announcement?" rejoined the editor.

"You made it, didn't you?"

"Certainly I did, but you should have remembered that in private life I am a butcher and sausage maker and not run the notice under the head of 'Business Extensions.'"—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

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tory and their growth fully equal, if not superior, to that of those fed on whole milk.

The skim milk should be fed warm and fresh or as soon as it comes from the separator or disappointing results will follow. The feeding of cold or tainted or too much skim milk is invariably the cause of producing unthrifty calves. The calf's milk should be weighed each time for the best results and increases in allowance made very gradually. When skim milk is properly handled and fed there is no necessity of feeding butter fat worth 30 cents a pound to grow the right kind of dairy calves. Skim milk for growing animals is a much better feed than most people realize.

## FEED ROUGHAGE FREELY.

Dairy Cattle Give Better Results When Hay Is Given Before Grain.

In order to produce milk economically the rough feed produced on the farm should be used to the fullest extent possible. While it is essential to feed some concentrates to good dairy cows the skillful feeder always strives to get his cows to consume as much as possible of the bulkier feed before adding any grain.

An instance of unprofitable feeding was recently brought to our attention, says the Kansas Farmer. A high producing herd of pure bred dairy cattle were being fed for milk production. The farm was well supplied with silage and alfalfa hay. In addition concentrated feeds were purchased for the cows.

This farm was being handled by a man who was working on a salary. The owner became dissatisfied with the results and secured a new man. As a result of the first month's work the new man reduced the bill for purchased feeds from \$240 to \$28.20, and the cows produced more milk during this month than they did during the month in which they consumed the large amount of purchased feeds.

We were somewhat interested to learn just exactly what had brought about this change. We found that the first feeder had been feeding each cow all the grain she would clean up. In addition she was given what silage and alfalfa she would eat after having a full feed of grain. The new feeder found the cows without paunch capacity, since they were eating grain largely because they liked it better and consequently consuming relatively small amounts of silage and alfalfa. The method of feeding was changed so that the cows were induced to eat the maximum quantities of farm grown feeds, then each cow was given in addition a reasonable quantity of grain, the amount being gauged by the work she was doing at the pail. There is a lesson in this for every feeder of dairy cattle, as it is the marketing of farm grown feeds that brings the profit to the farmer.

## Care of the Dairy Bull.

It is well to remember that improper care of the sire shows in the offspring every time. Exercise is absolutely essential; nitrogenous feeds such as the cow receives will do for the bull. He must not be allowed to get too fat. He should be used with discretion. A young bull should not be overtaxed, nor should a young sire of any kind.

## Community Bulls.

There are 110 community dairy breeding associations in Wisconsin. Of these 48 are Holstein, 35 Guernsey, 18 Jersey and 9 all breeds.

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## COUNTY NEWS

## BROOKLIN.

Frank A. Bowden has purchased a new automobile.

Mrs. Martha Nutter is visiting in Prospect Harbor.

Mrs. Susie Allen, of Somerville, Mass., is visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Colby, of Boston, are at the "Lookout" for a short stay.

Capt. Joseph Tibbets fell last Wednesday, hurting himself quite badly.

Miss Belle Smith, of Sedgwick, was the week-end guest of Mrs. Laura York.

Owen L. Flye and Mrs. Blanche Harmon went to Lamorne Monday, on a visit.

Mrs. Ruby McFarland and her daughter, Mrs. Blanche Harmon, of Portland, are visiting friends in town.

Mrs. Byron Sellers and children, who have spent a few weeks at Sunshine, are home.

Rev. Paul Sperry, of Brockton, Mass., preached at the Baptist church Sunday morning.

Miss Gladys Bridges, a teacher in New Rochelle, N. Y., is visiting her parents, A. W. Bridges and wife.

R. R. Babson and family have closed their summer home at Haven and returned to Roxbury, Mass.

Harry Bridges, with his mother and Miss Laurel Gray, came home from Boston Saturday, in his new automobile.

Miss Fronie Davis, who has spent the summer with her parents, F. B. Davis and wife, left for her home Saturday.

Mrs. Adelaide Marks and Master Lewis are home from Boston, where Lewis has been in the hospital for treatment. He is much improved in health.

The annual picnic was held at the Hamilton shore, North Brooklin, Aug. 18. The welcome was cordial and hearty.

The company numbered fifty. A picnic dinner was enjoyed on the lawn. Old and new songs were sung by a mixed chorus.

There were boat races, potato races, three-legged race, hobble race, etc. Mrs. M. E. Taylor, of Bedford, Mass., aged seventy-four, sang, being followed by Donald Hamilton, aged eight, of Greenfield.

Strategy.

"Naw, I'm not going to propose to her. I know she'll reject me."

"Propose by phone, and don't tell her who you are."—Houston Post.

## KITTELY TO CARIBOU.

The Columbia hotel at Bath was burned early Friday morning, the guests being compelled to flee in their night clothes. The loss is estimated at \$10,000.

A valuable deposit of asbestos is reported as having been located in the Spencer stream section of Somerset county. The only drawback to successful operation of the deposit is the fact that it is twenty-five miles from the nearest railroad.

A loss estimated at \$100,000, was caused last Wednesday by a fire which seriously threatened the business section of Brownville. It finally was placed under control by firemen from Milo. The fire started in the mill of the United States Pegwood & Shank Co., which, with a large manufactured stock, was burned, with a loss of about \$40,000. Other buildings burned were the Briggs block, occupied by E. L. Chase, hardware, and Percy Ryder, grain, the postoffice, the grocery store of Joseph Crandall, Lewis' garage, the town office and the bridge across Pleasant river.

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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1915.

Mayor A. C. Hagerthy has every reason to feel gratified at the endorsement given his candidacy for governor by his fellow townsmen, at the mass meeting at Hancock hall Monday evening. The aspirations of an Ellsworth man for the high office of governor of Maine make an appeal to local pride that finds quick response.

Men and women of an earlier generation have a clear recollection of "blackstrap" molasses—a byproduct of the manufacture of cane sugar. It was a common article of food half a century ago, but the children of today scarcely know it, even by name. But the European war has suddenly created a large demand for it for use in making denatured alcohol, which, in turn, is used in making smokeless powder. It has increased in price fifty per cent.

With remarkable facility, democratic leaders change front on important governmental questions and endeavor to delude the American people into the notion that they have always been advocates of the doctrines to the support of which they have been driven by public opinion. Preparedness is one instance, and creation of a tariff commission is another. After refusing to make adequate appropriations for the national defense and after declaring that the military branch of the government had not been neglected, the administration suddenly reverses its attitude and proclaims its intention to make preparedness an issue. If they are seeking for someone to quarrel with on that question, they must quarrel with their own past record. Now they announce an intention to make the creation of a tariff commission an issue. They forget that their own party has been the only opponent of a tariff commission, and that such a commission would now be in existence but for their negative votes.

Gray Family Reunion.

The fourteenth annual reunion of the Gray family was held in West Sedgewick, Aug. 26, with about 200 present in the afternoon, and over 300 in the evening.

The festivities were commenced soon after a picnic dinner. The meeting was opened by the president, Dr. Otis Littlefield, of Bluehill. The address of welcome was by Martha Jane Gray, after which a short entertainment by the children was enjoyed. Rev. Mr. Hargrove, of Bluehill, delivered a short address.

At the business meeting, officers were elected as follows: President, Dr. Otis Littlefield, Bluehill; vice-president, R. D. Gray, West Sedgewick; secretary and treasurer, Bessie M. Gray, South Penobscot; committee, Martin Peaslee, chairman, Mrs. Laura Howard, Mrs. J. Gray, Emery Gray and Helen Gray.

The next meeting will be held in a new hall built and owned by shareholders. The meeting closed with remarks by L. W. Bowen, of Somerville, Mass.

Among the guests present from away were Miss Florence Klein, of Jersey City, N. J.; Mrs. Eva Sheppard, Mrs. J. M. P. Kingman, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Bowen, Mrs. Heath, and Vivian and Waring Barker, all of Somerville, Mass.

Music for dancing was furnished by Atherton's orchestra. Although postponed because of the weather, the reunion of 1915 was the most successful ever held by the Gray family.

Klark-Urban Company.

The Klark-Urban company, always a favorite with Ellsworth audiences, is billed for Hancock hall to-morrow evening. This play is for one night only, as the company must make a long jump into New Brunswick. Thus the company has picked out one of the best plays of its repertoire for production here—"Stop Thief."

This play is one of the popular New York successes, and closed a long run with big houses. The author, Carlyle Moore, has introduced into the play two kleptomaniacs, a real crook and a wedding. One kleptomaniac is a millionaire, the other is his prospective son-in-law. The bride-to-be is a wife of her father's predilection for stealing, but is ignorant of the fact that her future husband is so afflicted.

Into this household a real thief is smuggled by a new maid, and the plot thus tangled in the first act calls for the appearance of a battalion of policemen in the second act. Many funny situations are evolved. Of course, in the end the real thieves are discovered, and there is a happy ending, in a triple wedding.

The fun is said to start with the rise of the curtain, and moves at a rapid pace.

COUNTY GOSSIP.

From all sections of the county come reports of frosts last Thursday and Friday nights. In some sections the frost was of killing intensity on low lands.

The new coast guard cutter Ossipee, which replaces the old cutter Woodbury on the Maine coast, arrived at Portland Saturday night, and awaits her first call for rescue work.

Bucksport was badly scorched, but not discouraged. Our correspondent writes: "Although for a few hours Bucksport was rather breathless at the magnitude of its loss, it awoke Saturday morning with a feeling of thankfulness to its brave firemen and the men from Bangor who worked so loyally, and also that no lives were lost and no one was injured. Although it is a little early to tell what plans are on foot, it is pretty generally understood that most of the buildings will be replaced, and the suspension of business will be only temporary."

Our correspondent from one of the island towns, right in the heart of the lobster fishing industry, and who can speak from intimate knowledge of the business, has a good word to say for the new lobster laws. He writes: "The lobster close time in this section during July and August will prove, we believe, the best protection the square lobster fishermen have ever had. It has been a sad thing in the past years to see some of the fishermen so ready to save 'shorts' at a very small price. Under the license law at the present time, and with one summer close time, we are inclined to feel that the great majority of the fishermen will have to play the game square or go out of the business."

HAGERTHY CLUB.

Ellsworth Booms Local Candidate for Governor.

Mayor A. C. Hagerthy was honored by the citizens of his home city Monday evening, when they turned out in goodly number at a mass meeting to formally inaugurate his campaign for governor, and organize the Hagerthy club. Neighboring towns were also well represented in the meeting. The Ellsworth band played, and altogether Ellsworth had an early taste of political campaign times.

The hall was decorated for the occasion. The stage was set with a parlor scene, a large portrait of Mayor Hagerthy hanging on the walls. The front of the stage was banked with dahlias. Fulton J. Redman presided at the meeting. Seated on the stage with him were Mayor Hagerthy, State Senator S. S. Scammon, of Franklin; County Treasurer Boyd A. Blaisdell, Aldermen Wescott, Treworgy and Small, T. F. Mahoney and Roy C. Haines.

Chairman Redman, in his introductory remarks, said that in advocating the candidacy of any one man, he did not belittle the aspirations of any other candidate for the same office, but when a candidate is an Ellsworth man, he thought it sufficient reason why the people of Ellsworth, and especially of his own party, should support him. Local pride and community loyalty, if no other reason, should assure Mayor Hagerthy of this support in his candidacy for governor. The people of Ellsworth, he said, could not elect any man who would be more loyal to Ellsworth.

The first speaker introduced was Senator Scammon, who spoke principally of the great men Ellsworth had already given to the public service, and of the qualifications of Mayor Hagerthy for the office of governor.

Roy C. Haines, the next speaker, spoke of the hearty support always given by Mayor Hagerthy to any industrial project in Ellsworth, his loyalty to his home city, and the advantage which would accrue to Ellsworth and Hancock county by his elevation to the high office of governor of Maine.

Rev. Horace B. Haskell, called from the audience, made one of the most enthusiastic speeches of the evening. He said he did not believe any man was big enough to be governor of Maine unless he was humble enough to be the servant of the common people. He reviewed the qualifications of Mayor Hagerthy for the office of governor—a man of varied experiences, capable of viewing public questions from many viewpoints, an excellent judge of men, a man of few words, a man of backbone.

Capt. W. S. Treworgy, of Surry, a life-long friend of Mayor Hagerthy, voiced the support of Surry, Mayor Hagerthy's native town, in his candidacy for governor.

Mayor Hagerthy received heart-warming applause when he arose at the call of the chairman. He said:

"To be governor of the great State of Maine is an honor to which any man may well aspire. After passing through as many local political battles as I have, it is, I assure you, the greatest pleasure of my life to be considered as I have to-night; this splendid meeting arranged by my friends, kind words of the volunteer speakers who are my neighbors, the courteous reception given those soliciting membership in this club, and the unanimous response of those who have been approached, all tend to encourage myself and my friends to prosecute my campaign to a successful end. I thank you all."

HAGERTHY CLUB ORGANIZED.

The chairman then called for the business of the meeting, the organization of the Hagerthy club. A committee to nominate officers was appointed, and after a short recess, reported the following list of officers, who were unanimously elected: President, Fulton J. Redman; vice-presidents, Horace F. Wescott, ward 1; Dr. N. C. King, ward 2; Owen H. Treworgy, ward 3; Eugene H. Moore, ward 4; William Small, ward 5; secretary, Roy C. Haines; treasurer, William E. Whiting.

Nominated by the Governor.

Among nominations by the governor recently announced are the following in Hancock county: Julia A. Chatto, Surry, agent for protection of children.

Vernon G. Wagant, Eden; and Henry H. Higgins, Ellsworth, notaries public.

THE HORN OF PLENTY.

OGDEN, UTAH, Aug. 13, 1915.

To the Editor of The American: I have read P. G. Wooster's interesting letter in THE AMERICAN of August 4 about Pasadena, and I know that everything he says about it is deserved. I had a pleasant hour with him at his hospitable home in that delightful little city and among the environments thereabouts, and in the larger country that embraces all of California, and to praise them all would be to paint the lily to make it more beautiful.

The climate of California, the scenery and the great-hearted people there are, all in all, combined to wonderfully set that state off alone by itself as Nature's masterpiece, and leaves in the heart of the visitor a haunting longing to go back, as the homesick captive longs for and dreams of the home of the lotus in the dingles of the Nile.

But—but the traveler has to cross the enchanting valley of Utah to get to Pasadena, and, seeing this great dimple in the bosom of the mountains, he should never have got to Pasadena at all—so there now.

Like Mr. Wooster's early advent into Pasadena, more than forty years ago, so was mine into this desolate and obscure valley, and all that God had done for it was to temper the climate and give it a picturesque setting, and then He let it alone. But man came in and took up the matter where He had left off, and the two together have done wonders.

In those days the surroundings made me homesick. Ogden was then a scattered hamlet of rude houses, and Salt Lake City of scarcely more importance, constructed some of logs, some of rough stones gathered on the spot, some of coarse lumber sometimes grotesquely covered with a concrete to give them an aristocratic appearance, but none were of brick or other more pretentious material.

The brooks and small rivers that ran down from the melted snows that winter had piled in the canyons of the mountains lay naked in the hot suns of summer, and were soon evaporated. Stunted sage brush, scrub willows and wretched vines crept wearily along, ashamed to show their faces, covered the foot-hills and lowlands, except where alkali permeated the earth, and then the aspect was more dreary still.

For lack of facilities the farmer tilled his little patch of unfenced ground, and what the meager harvest afforded was traded in the local market for another sort for the home, to ward off the wolf of hunger. Cattle and other domestic animals were scarce and of poor quality, and all the other accessories of civilization were in the same category.

The only saving grace in this then desolate valley was the wonderful invigorating climate and a sturdy, lion-hearted people. And this was the heart-breaking welcome that faced the pioneers when they came down into the valley of the Great Salt Lake to make homes for their wives and little children.

These pioneers were Mormons. While I am on the subject, I propose to say a word about them. I am not now and was never a Mormon, and do not hold a brief for the church that dominated this region in that early day, but more than two score years ago I came among them a Gentile, so called, fresh from the halls of Michigan university, to be the first surgeon of the railroad that met face to face in Ogden in 1870, or thereabouts.

I have lived among the Mormons ever since, and in their social, business and home life I know they are vastly different from what short-haired women and long-haired men have painted them away "Down East." I do not want to elaborate on the subject here, but the Mormons are like other people, neither better nor worse. The Mormon church has set its face like flint against polygamy. There were some bigots in early days that defended plural marriage, but it was opposed by the better class, and only about three or four per cent. embraced it.

But the United States forbade it, and then the church authorities issued a proclamation in harmony with the national law, and the habit ceased. One or two in "backwood" districts violated the law, and the heads of the church were first to discover it, had the guilty parties arrested and forever dis-fellowshipped, cut off from the church, and advertised the fact in the papers all over the state. Polygamy in Utah is dead and lives only as a scar on the Mormon escutcheon. Their members mingle with the members of other churches on Sundays, in society and in business. There is no feeling of restraint in the general intercourse of all the people.

But morning rose on Utah! The war of the Rebellion came to an end, and birds began to build their nests in the mouths of cannon, and the discharged soldiers, finding their places in business occupations had been filled during their absence in the army, turned their faces toward the beckoning West. The West responded with a cordial welcome, and the emigrant proved himself worthy of its confidence. The West became a renaissance of the land of the old Israelites. It burst upon his vision as the sweet fields beyond the swelling floods which made Moses stand still and wonder.

The varying fortunes of fifty years have filled the world with sunshine and blinded it with tears, and what a change has been wrought in Utah! The hand of Time has eroded the log house and has builded on its dust a palace of brick and marble. Forests have been planted and their grateful shade has lured the birds to sing their love notes in their hospitable branches.

Fifty years ago a solitary train of cars each day drew its slow lengths toward the setting or the rising sun, and to-day in the same length of time from fifty to one hundred trains pull out of the Ogden depot to some point, somewhere. Then a train went from Ogden to Salt Lake City and returned the same day, and occupied from two to three hours, and to-day the cars leave Ogden less than every hour for Salt Lake City and return as often, and the trip is made in less than one hour.

Fifty years ago the maps called this region "The Great American Desert," and

to-day the farmer raises fifty bushels of finest wheat on an acre of that desert stuff, while the farmer in my dear old State of Maine is happy if he raises from fifteen to twenty-five bushels. Now what do you think of that?

Men of push and enterprise came in and with sacrilegious hand tunneled the bosom of Mother Earth and tore it with dynamite, and they found hidden there stores of gold, silver, limestone, marble, lead, copper, zinc, iron, coal, sulphur, gypsum, porphyry, alum, borax, petroleum, and the Lord knows what else.

All kinds of fish inhabit our streams, from the democratic sucker to the aristocrat of all fishes, the speckled trout. Enough salt is found here to preserve the world from putrefaction. Ogden is in Weber county, geographically a comparatively small area, and yet she supports thirteen canning factories, besides a four million sugar factory, a cereal factory that employs a hundred persons, a factory that makes tin cans and turns out a half million of them in a single day, railroad shops that employ five hundred men.

There are miles of paved streets that are more than a hundred feet wide, and miles on miles of concrete pavement that is from eighteen feet wide in the business section to eight feet in the residential portion. Street cars radiate in all directions, and are still extending. Schools and schoolhouses are equal to any in the country and with a system worthy of praise. Eighty-six per cent. of the taxes go to support the schools, leaving but 14 per cent. for all other purposes. Utah is No. 4 in literacy in the United States.

When I came to this place Ogden was a small village, and now it is larger than any city in Maine.

And—glory be, I mustn't leave this out of the invoice—while I write the Associated Press announces that a Utah youngster, Alma Richards, of Provo, a small town below Salt Lake City, has been declared by the athletic association now meeting in San Francisco to be the best all-round athlete in America. He won the high jump over in Europe when the association met there a few years ago. 'Rah for Alma!

A. S. CONDOX.

LOBSTER FISHERMEN.

Fishing Season in Eastern Maine Opens To-day.

The lobster fishing season in eastern Maine opens to-day. By several private and special acts of the legislature of 1915, practically all the waters of Hancock and Washington counties were closed to lobster fishing during the months of July and August. Many of the fishermen in Hancock county have been engaged in yachting at the summer resorts during the summer.

In order to comply with the new lobster license law which was enacted by the seventy-seventh legislature, every person engaging in the lobster fishing industry must procure a license from the commissioner of sea and shore fisheries, Henry D. S. Woodbury, of South Portland. The fee for this license is \$1, and the license is void and of no avail on the last day of November next succeeding the issuance thereof.

The law further provides that all the apparatus used in the industry shall be plainly marked with the name of the owner in full. Equipment not marked in compliance with the law is subject to seizure by the officers charged with the enforcement of the law. Copies of the new law may be obtained from the commissioner of sea and shore fisheries, and every person entering into this industry should secure a copy and carefully study the same.

The application blanks for licenses may be obtained from the town clerks at the coast towns, and should, when made out, be mailed to the commissioner, together with the fee for license.

With the wardens having State-wide jurisdiction and with patrol boats operating along the coast, there is little chance of any person fishing without a license for any length of time. A person who does not comply with the law in all respects may have his license revoked, and in such case cannot obtain another license and have a legal right to fish for a period of one year from the date of the revoking of said license.

Civil Service Examinations.

The U. S. civil service commission will hold the quarterly examinations on Oct. 1, for filling vacancies in mechanical trades and non-educational positions in the lighthouse service, engineer department at large, quartermaster corps, and other branches of the government service in Portland and vicinity. Applicants will not be assembled for a mental examination, being rated wholly on physical ability, experience and general fitness. For application forms and pamphlet of information, application may be made to C. E. Jellison, room 26, postoffice building, Portland.

BUCKSPORT.

Mrs. J. F. Nichols arrived Monday from a visit in New York.

Miss A. M. Nicholson left Monday for Boston, after several weeks at The Wardwell.

J. H. Montgomery and family, who have spent the summer in Searsport, are home.

Mrs. Rilla Greenleaf, of Somerville, Mass., and her son, Earle Girdell, of Brockton, Mass., arrived Sunday.

J.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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OBITUARY.

MRS. JAMES MURPHY.  
The death of Mrs. James Murphy, of Pine street, came with a shock to the people of that neighborhood. She was found unconscious on the floor by Luman Woodruff, who had entered the house on an errand last Friday morning, and in a few hours she passed away.

Her maiden name was Elizabeth Christie. She was born in Belfast, Ireland, in 1839. When she was twelve years of age the family came to this country and located in Ellsworth where she spent the rest of her girlhood, and later was in demand as a cook, especially in Bar Harbor during the summer season. In 1875 she was married to Mr. Murphy, and moved to Trenton, where she lived until ten years ago, when the home was built on Pine street.

Mrs. Murphy was a great worker, and kept at her tasks so faithfully that many of her friends did not realize her advanced age. Here was a quiet but kindly nature, and in many helpful ways she proved herself to be a true neighbor. Always unassuming, she made and held friends who esteemed her for her work's sake. Her departure will bring feelings of sadness to all who have been acquainted with her.

Prayers were held at the house on Sunday morning, after which the remains were taken to the Baptist church in Trenton, where funeral services were conducted, Rev. J. W. Tickle, of the Unitarian church, officiating.

MRS. AGNES CAHILL.  
Agnes Scott Cahill died at the Eastern Maine general hospital in Bangor August 30, from appendicitis, attended by pleurisy. She was born in Ellsworth thirty-three years ago, the daughter of George and Ella Giles Scott. When taken ill, about a week before her death, she was working at the hotel at Lincoln, and was at once taken to the hospital, where she was visited often by her mother and one sister who live in Bangor.

About fourteen years ago she was married to Harry Cahill, of Bangor. Six years ago her husband died, since which time she had been working hard for her fatherless boys, and doubtless overwork resulted in her early death.

The funeral was held at her mother's home in Ellsworth. She leaves three sons, George, living with her sister in Bangor; Robert, also living in Bangor with a good family, and Edward, living with his father's people in Boston. She is also survived by her mother, a sister, Carrie Nye, of Bangor, and a twin sister, Ada Guthrie, of Bar Harbor.

Bank Statement.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE  
**Ellsworth Loan and Building Ass'n.**  
Ellsworth, August 9, 1915.  
A. W. KINS, President.  
O. W. TAPLEY, Secretary.

E. J. WALSH, Treasurer.  
DIRECTORS: A. W. King, J. F. Knowlton, J. A. Peters, C. P. Dorr, O. W. Tapley, E. J. Walsh, J. O. Whitney.

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LIABILITIES.

Accumulated capital.....	\$116,829.04
Guaranty fund.....	6,526.00
Forfeited shares.....	2,000.00
Bills payable.....	4,000.00
Profits.....	1,299.87
	\$127,654.91

RESOURCES.

Loans on mortgages of real estate.....	\$116,829.04
Loans on shares.....	825.00
Loans to corporations.....	2,000.00
Loans to municipalities.....	3,000.00
Bonds.....	11,500.00
Real estate foreclosure.....	3,500.00
Cash.....	1,501.96
	\$127,654.91

Number of shareholders..... 450  
Number of borrowers..... 140  
Number of shares outstanding..... 2,388  
Number of shares pledged for loans..... 97  
Number of loans..... 10

I, E. VERNON, Bank Commissioner.

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## BLUEHILL FAIR.

OPENED YESTERDAY WITH  
GOOD FIRST DAY CROWD.

GOOD EXHIBITS AND A BEVELY MID-  
WAY—YESTERDAY'S RACES—A BIG  
DAY PROMISED TO-DAY.

The fair season in Hancock county was inaugurated yesterday with the opening of the Hancock County Agricultural society fair at Mountain park, Bluehill. The attendance for the first day was larger than usual, possibly because many were afraid, in this moist summer, to trust to the weather continuing fair for two days in succession.

The Bluehill fair is livelier than ever this year, with a mid-way a third larger than ever before. The farmers call this an "off year" for agricultural products, but the showing in this department is excellent.

## THE RACES.

There were two races on the card for the opening day. Charles F. Trafton, of Bangor, the starter, with the co-operation of the drivers, got the horses away in good shape, with the remarkable record of seven heats with the horses scoring only thirteen times. The summary of the races follows:

**3.00 Trot or Pace. Purse \$100.**  
Wallace Clayton, ch. s. by Clayton, Asa T. Grant, Bangor..... 1 1 1  
Link Braden, br. s. by Brown Braden, W. G. Preston, Belfast..... 2 2 3  
Tarratins, bk. s. by Tarratins, R. W. Burdell, Bangor..... 4 3 2  
Grace O. b. m. by Blue Will, I. F. Gould, Bucksport..... 5 4 4  
**2.30, 2.35, 2.40**  
**Special 2.19 Trot and 2.35 Pace. Purse \$125.**  
Foxy Joe, C. J. Snow, Bluehill..... 1 1 2 1  
Kohl McBeth, b. s. by Fred Kohl, R. W. Burdell, Bangor..... 3 3 1 3  
Hiram H. b. g. by Sterling, C. D. Burr, Northeast Harbor..... 2 2 2 2  
**2.30, 2.35, 2.40, 2.45**

The races on the card for to-day are the 2.30 trot and 2.35 pace, 2.35 trot and 2.37 pace, and the three-minute trot or pace open to Hancock county horses only.

## BUCKSPORT FIRE.

Hundred Thousand Dollar Loss in  
Business Section.

The business section of Bucksport narrowly escaped being wiped out by fire Friday night. Five business blocks, including a hotel and public hall, and six dwellings, were destroyed, with a loss approximating \$100,000. The fire swept Main street from the old Heywood home-stead to Mechanic street.

The fire started about 7 o'clock in the stable of H. R. Googins, from some cause unknown. The flames reached the hay and then spread rapidly. The local authorities quickly realized the seriousness of the fire, and telephoned to Bangor for assistance. A special train brought down a Bangor steamer with a crew of twenty men, arriving soon after 9 o'clock. Good work by the Bucksport and Bangor firemen and the absence of wind saved the town.

The buildings burned included Emery hall, in which were located the Patten house, formerly the Summer and Winter hotel, and the stores of Mrs. M. A. Robbins, millinery; James McGinnis, barber; P. E. Dinsmore, shoes; Albert F. Page, drugs; W. B. Jones, printer; a small building owned by Asa Swasey and occupied by Sewell Crosby, shoe repairer; the Emery block, occupied by J. R. Emery & Co., department store and offices of W. C. Conary, lawyer; Dr. W. H. Farnham, dentist; the Hayward block, occupied by C. B. Richards, fruit store, and tenement occupied by John Carpenter; the Homer stable, occupied by H. R. Googins; the store of Esther Gorbam, confectionery; the dwelling and store building of Inez Witham; tenement owned by Capt. Thomas W. Nicholson and occupied by Halsey Moore; two houses owned by Mary Costello and occupied by Joseph Costello and H. L. Perry; a tenement owned by Mrs. Aurilla Greeleaf and occupied by Clarence Terrill; two tenements back of Emery hall, occupied by Augustus Moore and Capt. Frank Lowell.

Several other buildings in the vicinity were damaged, including the Buck & Ames block on the opposite side of Main street, the front and roof of which were badly scorched, and considerable damage done by water.

Most of the buildings were insured, and nearly all the business men carried some insurance.

## Apollo Belvidere.

The celebrated statue, Apollo Belvidere, is supposed to be from the chisel of the Greek sculptor Calamis, who flourished in the fifth century B. C. It is called the Belvidere from the Belvedere gallery of the Vatican, in Rome, where it stands. It was discovered in 1503 among the ruins of Antium and was purchased by Pope Julius II.

## Advertisements.

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## FARM DEMONSTRATIONS.

News of Interest to Hancock County  
Farmers.

(From the office of the county agent, G. N. Worden, Ellsworth.)

## FLOW NOW.

This is the slogan of a new association just formed.

On the evening of August 23, a few of the farmers and business men of the county met at Ellsworth and organized a Farmers' association, the purpose of which is to develop, in co-operation with the county agent and the other existing organizations, the agricultural resources of the county, and to foster all interests, commercial, social, moral and material, having a bearing on the development and improvement of agriculture and rural life.

Men were called to this meeting from every township in the county, and after adopting a plan of organization, the following officers were elected: President, C. W. Stratton, Hancock; vice-president, S. L. Burns, Nicollet; secretary and treasurer, W. H. Titus, Ellsworth.

The association considered that better land preparation and culture would be of immediate benefit to the county, and a fall plowing campaign will be launched on Sept. 9, when a plowing contest will be held on the farm of C. W. Stratton, in Hancock. This will be the first contest of its kind ever held in the county, and since it has behind it the hearty endorsement of the farmers, its success is assured.

The primary object of this contest is to stimulate the practice of plowing in the fall, the time when it should be done in most cases. While the contest rules are not as yet fully developed, the following may be taken as a working basis for preparation for the competitive plowing.

Each man shall drive his own team, two horses, and furnish his own plow. There will be two classes, one for sulky and one for land-side plows. Each man will be required to plow at least five furrows, and his work will be judged for uniformity of depth, width and lap of furrow slice, completeness of cutting off furrow slice and of covering grass or stubble, evenness of headlands and straightness of furrows.

The judges will be Prof. G. E. Simmons, of the University of Maine, S. L. Burns, of Nicollet, and C. A. Day, county agent in Washington county. The man who is awarded highest honors will receive an appropriate prize, to be announced later.

As this contest will bring many different makes of plows together, for trial under the same conditions, an excellent opportunity will be given for seeing how the different styles work. There will be a ten-minute talk on plowing, followed by the contest, which in turn will be followed by a demonstration in plowing.

Another prize will also be offered for the man who has the best equipment on the field, the following points being taken into consideration:

Harness oiled, 10  
Harness fit, 20  
Condition of team, 20  
Ability of horses to work well together, 20  
Character of plow, 10  
Adjustment of plow, 20

Plow now. Attend this contest as a competitor, and show your neighbor how to do the job right. The contest is open to everybody, and will begin promptly at 1 o'clock on the afternoon of September 9.

Prof. Simmons spent Monday and Tuesday of this week with County Agent Worden taking lecture for drains on the farms of S. E. McFarland, Fred Milliken, Hancock; S. S. Estey, Ellsworth, and C. M. Kittredge, Lamoine. These men are all going to lay land, till and plow this fall. Who will be next? If you're puzzled, let the county agent help you work out a drainage system.

Concert at East Bluehill.

BLUEHILL, Aug. 31 (special)—A concert that would have been distinguished even in the great music centres of the world was given at East Bluehill last Saturday night by three members of the summer colony there, all instructors in the Danvers Institute of Musical Art, New York, Louis J. Bostelmann, violinist, Gaston M. Dethier, pianist, and Miss Leontine de Abne, contralto, assisted by Josephine Preston Peabody (Mrs. Lionel Marks), also a summer resident at this beautiful spot on Bluehill bay.

Every one of them is an artist, and every one was "in the vein"—singing, playing and reading being at the highest pitch of excellence, due partly, doubtless, to the feeling of intelligent responsiveness of the large audience.

Mrs. Bostelmann and Mr. Dethier, who live in their neighboring cottages every summer, have played here before, but this year with even greater beauty and subtlety of tone and stirring force. Miss de Abne, who is spending her first summer here, has a rich contralto voice, of beautiful quality throughout its register, and trained as only the voices of great singers are trained. Mrs. Marks read, as even poets themselves can rarely read, a selection of her poems of War and Peace (some written here), also from her charming book, "The Singing Leaves."

The Baptist church, where the concert was given, was crowded. A substantial sum was realized for the benefit of the East Bluehill library.

Sunday School Convention.

This convention is to be held in the Baptist church, Bluehill, September 8 and 9. General Secretary Wesley J. Weir, of the State Sunday School association, will be present at each session to conduct an open parliament, give an address and tell of the coming State convention to be held in Bath.

There will be other addresses, a survey of the work that is being done by the Sunday schools in the county. One session will be given to the consideration of what the "Front Line" Sunday school is. There will be other features of equal interest. It is hoped that every school in the county may send one or more delegates.

The convention opens at 2 p. m. Wednesday, Sept. 8, and closes at noon Thursday, Sept. 9.

## TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

Hancock County Teachers Will Meet  
in Ellsworth Next Week.

The Hancock county teachers' institute will be held in Ellsworth Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of next week. There is every indication of an interesting institute, with a probable attendance of seventy-five to 100 teachers.

Forenoon and afternoon sessions will be held at the high school building, the evening sessions Wednesday and Thursday at Hancock hall, and the evening session Friday at the Unitarian church.

The institute, as announced last week, will be conducted on the general plan of a summer school, with three State speakers giving two talks daily on different departments of school work.

Supt. W. E. Clark, of the Castine district, who is president of the county organization, writing as an Ellsworth man, suggests very appropriately that the people of Ellsworth should do something for the entertainment of teachers while here. He writes:

Ellsworth has been very fortunate as the place selected for this institute. It seems to me that the people of Ellsworth should in some way entertain the visiting teachers and superintendents. One way has occurred to me which might further the reputation of Ellsworth hospitality, and that is for all people in Ellsworth owning automobiles to place them at the disposal of the teachers for one or two hours some day during the institute.

There are many beautiful drives and points of interest in and about Ellsworth that a great many of the teachers have never visited, and this would give them an opportunity which undoubtedly would be appreciated.

The visit of the teachers will be no small benefit to Ellsworth, and it is eminently proper that some courtesy should be shown to these educators of our children.

All Ellsworth persons owning automobiles should get together and further boost the reputation of Ellsworth as an entertainer by giving the visiting teachers and superintendents a pleasant hour or two which will leave a warm spot in their hearts for Ellsworth. The following have already kindly placed their automobiles at the disposal of the teachers: Mayor A. C. Hagerthy, Charles L. Morang, Charles B. Leland. Further names will be gladly received by Supt. Fatten or Clark.

## WINTERED E. CLARK, President.

## LAKEWOOD.

The pleasantest event of the season was held Tuesday evening, when Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Manch held a lawn party at their bungalow. There were about sixty friends and neighbors present. The ground was illuminated by Japanese lanterns. The hospitality of the host was unbounded. Games were played by all, and music was furnished by Mr. Rankin; dancing also was enjoyed. After refreshments of fruit, lemonade and sandwiches, the men enjoyed a smoke talk. Mr. and Mrs. Manch have entered into the life of the neighborhood and are welcome summer visitors.

## MARINE LIST.

Hancock County Ports.  
Franklin—Ar Aug 30, sch Portland Packet, Mt Desert Ferry  
Sld Aug 31, sch Portland Packet, Boston  
West Sullivan—Sld Aug 28, sch M B Wellington, New York  
Ar Aug 27, schs Georgetown, Rockland; strm Phillips Eaton, Camden; Abbie Bowker  
Ar Aug 30, schs Annie Saunders, Northeast Harbor  
Sld Aug 31, sch Abbie Bowker, Boston  
Southwest Harbor—Sld Aug 28, schs Lizzie J. Clark, Alma (Br)  
Aug 28, ga A. Acton  
Aug 28, schs A. Acton, Albert J. Lutz (Br)  
In port—Aug 29, sch Mary M. Lord (Br)  
Aug 30, sch M. L. Davis disc brick

## BORN.

ATKINS—At Bangor, Aug. 23, to Rev and Mrs Charles F. Atkins, of Brooksville, a daughter. [Ruth.]  
BURR—At Northeast Harbor Aug. 23, to Mr and Mrs Lester D. Burr, a daughter.  
CARTER—At Bluehill, Aug. 27, to Mr and Mrs Eugene V. Carter, a son.  
CUNNINGHAM—At Orland, Aug. 25, to Mr and Mrs Franklin Cunningham, a son.  
MURCH—At Bluehill, Aug. 25, to Mr and Mrs Jesse S. Murch, a daughter.  
OWENS—At Bluehill, Aug. 25, to Mr and Mrs William H. Owens, a daughter.  
SHERWOOD—At Brooksville, Aug. 27, to Mr and Mrs Wilmot B. Sherwood, a son.  
TATE—At Ellsworth, Aug. 27, to Mr and Mrs Leon I. Tate, a daughter.  
YOUNG—At Hancock, Aug. 24, to Mr and Mrs Herbert S. Young, a daughter.

## MARRIED.

COTTON—HAGUE—At Ellsworth, Aug. 28, by Rev R. B. Mathews, Miss Rena P. Cotton, of Columbia, to Axel A. Hague, of Monson.  
DELAITE—PAGE—At Bucksport, Aug. 25, by Rev H. W. Webb, Mrs Susie B. Delaite, of Bucksport, to Joseph W. Page, of Burlington.  
HOLBROOK—ROBINSON—At Isle au Haut, Aug. 21, by Rev F. W. Snell, Esther O. Holbrook to Willis E. Robinson, both of Isle au Haut.  
INGALLS—GRAY—At Brewer, Aug. 25, by Rev H. J. Beatty, Miss Ella May Ingalls, of Orland, to Elmer J. Gray, of Dedham.  
MOON—MOON—At Hancock, Aug. 18, by Rev F. W. McLean, Miss Ida Moon to Walter C. Moon, both Hancock.  
SIMPSON—CROUSE—At Bucksport, Aug. 26, by Rev William Forsyth, Mrs Annie M. Simpson to Forrest E. Crouse, both of Bucksport.  
STAPLES—PATTEN—At Ellsworth, Aug. 30, by Rev P. A. Kilham, Mrs Agnes E. Staples to Libeas D. Patten, both of Ellsworth.

## DIED.

BOWDEN—At Castine, Aug. 25, James Warren Bowden, aged 8 years, 4 months, 5 days.  
CAHILL—At Bangor, Aug. 20, Mrs Agnes Scott Cahill, of Ellsworth, aged 33 years.  
CONARY—At Sunshine (Deer Isle), Aug. 9, John Conary, aged 75 years.  
CRABTREE—At New York city, Aug. 23, Nancy Elizabeth, widow of Dr. Addison D. Crabtree, formerly of Hancock.  
DELANO—At Ellsworth, Aug. 25, Mrs Annie L. Delano, aged 55 years, 2 months.  
GRAVES—At Lamoine, Aug. 30, George W. Graves, aged 77 years.  
MARSHALL—At Trenton, Aug. 30, Hattie M. wife of David Marshall, aged 68 years, 3 months, 22 days.  
MULLEN—At Bangor, Aug. 30, Sarah E. wife of John McMillen, formerly of Ellsworth, aged 70 years.  
MURPHY—At Ellsworth, Aug. 27, Elizabeth C. wife of James Murphy, aged 78 years, 4 months.  
OSGOOD—At Surry, Aug. 27, Reuben G. Osgood, aged 70 years, 8 months, 5 days.  
PECK—At Springfield, Mass., Aug. 26, Miss Aurilla Peck, formerly of Ellsworth, aged 69 years.  
PHILLIPS—At North Ellsworth, Aug. 26, John P. Phillips, aged 82 years, 7 months, 10 days.  
SEAMAN—At Hancock Point, Aug. 26, John Ferris Seaman, of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., aged 70 years, 4 months, 18 days.  
SHELTON—At Bar Harbor, Aug. 22, Donald Reginald, infant son of Mr and Mrs William Shelton, aged 1 month, 28 days.  
SUMNER—At Amherst, Aug. 23, Peter G. Sumner, aged 70 years.

## ELLSWORTH FALLS.

Percy E. Flood was home from Bangor over Sunday.

Wesley Rogers has returned to his work in Dexter.

Miss Nina Franklin left Monday for a visit in Augusta.

Miss Dorothy Hagan is home from a visit in Old Town.

Miss Virginia Moore has returned from a visit in Seaboard.

Mrs. Mary Slater and daughter Thelma are visiting in Smithville.

Miss Catherine Austin has returned home from a visit in Old Town.

Mrs. Charles A. Higgins is home from a visit at Eddington and Amherst.

Miss Gertrude Flood is home from a visit at Cherryfield and Harrington.

Miss Helen Flood, who is teaching at Waltham, was home over Saturday night.

Miss Helen King, of Nicollet, spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Ada C. Flood.

Mrs. Byron Robbins and daughter Nina, of Bar Harbor, are spending a few days here.

Miss Esther Olsen, of Berlin, N. H., joined Harry Laffin here last week for a few days' visit.

Joseph McKenney, of Brookline, Mass., who has been visiting here, has returned home.

Miss Clara McPherson, of Bangor, is visiting her grandparents, Llewellyn Kincaid and wife.

Wasson Tapley, of Tremont, was here over Tuesday on his way home from a visit at Brooksville.

Mrs. A. Webber, of Northeast Harbor, spent Sunday here with her parents, Jasper Frazier and wife.

Miss Louise Young went to Bangor Tuesday to enter the Eastern Maine general hospital for an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Mertie Perkins and daughter Pearl, of Lowell, Mass., who have been visiting at Bluehill, were guests of Mrs. Ada C. Flood Tuesday.

Clifford Carter is home from Bangor, where he has been employed during his vacation. He expects to return to Bates college for his sophomore year.

Miss Helen A. Thomas, of Malden, Mass., has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Edward P. Lord. She has gone to Bar Harbor for a few days before returning home.

The annual Sunday school picnic at Bayside Tuesday was attended by about 125. Twelve gallons of delicious fish chowder was prepared by Chef Arthur W. Salisbury.

Mrs. Martha Gowell, of Lynn, Mass., Mrs. Harry Alden and son, Harry Leo Alden, of Auburn, Miss Esther Olsen, of Berlin, N. H., and Harry Laffin, of Springfield, Vt., left for their homes Saturday, after a week's visit here.

## Amusements.

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**THURSDAY**

"Circus Mary" [3 reels]

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**FRIDAY**

"A Hard Road" [3 reels]

"A Hard Road" is a drama of the Great White Way, featuring Rosemary Theby and Harry Meyers  
Comedy Drama  
Five Gifts Friday Evening

**SATURDAY**

Overture by Orchestra at 7 p. m.  
Mary Pickford in "Such a Little Queen"  
Pathe News

**MONDAY**

"The Purple Iris" [2 reels]

This is the first in a series, "Under the Crescent," each picture complete in itself. It portrays life in a Turkish harem. The girl in the picture, otherwise "Princess Hassen", is Ola Humphrey, the American girl who married an Egyptian, and has been so much talked of. It is a picture true to life of her experiences while living in Egypt, uncommon in its material, lavish in its setting. "Princess Hassen" is the only American girl who has lived in a harem, and escaped to tell her experience.

**TUESDAY**

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## COUNTY NEWS

## WEST FRANKLIN.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Foster Marston Aug. 23.

Ralph Wooster and wife, of Penobscot, are visiting H. G. Wooster and wife.

Gladys Clark, during the absence of her mother, is with Miss Adah Savage.

William Maker, who has been here several months, left Thursday for Boston.

Mrs. S. S. Scammon visited her mother in Bangor Thursday and Friday of last week.

John Coombs, assistant steward on the Rangeley, was home for the Clark reunion.

Miss Phyllis Stratton, of Hancock, is visiting her grandparents, R. H. Williams and wife.

E. S. Orcutt and wife are at Bar Harbor, called there by the serious illness of their son Hollis, who is in the hospital.

Dorothy Clark, accompanied by Milo Jewett, who has been visiting relatives here, returned to Boston Saturday.

The community was saddened to hear of the death at Bar Harbor of Mrs. Kate McVicar, a former esteemed resident of this place. Heartfelt sympathy is extended to the relatives, especially to the bereaved husband.

Mrs. James M. Clark had as guests last week her sister, Mrs. Wormell, of Ellsworth, and Mrs. William Jordan, of Bar Harbor, her sister-in-law, Mrs. Henry West, of Worcester, Mass., and her cousin from the same place.

The DeBeck reunion was held at the residence of P. W. DeBeck, Aug. 25. The weather was unfavorable, but at dinner thirty-seven were present, and later enjoyed a social and business meeting. Representatives were present from all parts of the county.

The Clark reunion was held Aug. 26 at the residence of Charles E. Smith, where it has been held several years on account of the residence there of Mrs. Asenath Springer, who is eighty-nine years of age, and the oldest representative of the Clark family in this vicinity. A good-sized gathering of the family and friends enjoyed the day at this ideal place.

Aug. 30. ECHO.

## BIRCH HARBOR.

William Lindsey and wife, of Bangor, spent a few days recently with relatives here.

## RICE REUNION.

The annual reunion of the Rice family was held on the old homestead farm Wednesday, Aug. 18. The fine day brought out the largest number that ever has attended, seventy sitting down to the bountifully filled tables. After business was disposed of, speeches were in order. The secretary reported six births and two deaths since the last meeting. A little more than seven years recited in a pleasing manner the poem below, which voiced the feelings of all:

Another year has come and gone,  
And we have gathered here  
To meet our relatives and friends  
On this spot we love so dear.

We have greeted all with the glad hand,  
Of good things we've had our fill;  
And now will entertain our friends  
With cheer and right good will.

Sometimes our hearts are filled with pain  
As we look our company o'er;  
We miss the faces we used to see,  
Gone now to another shore.

These changes all are taking place  
Around us every day;  
But God knew best where He needed them  
When taking our friends away.

The homestead here, as we can see  
Has been changed with all the rest,  
But it still holds memories of childhood days  
Even though only three are left.

But amid all this, let us not lose heart,  
For we children are here to play,  
And try to make merry for old and young  
On this Rice reunion day.

So when we leave this sacred spot,  
And bid each other good-bye,  
May our lives be guided by a loving hand  
To meet in reunion beyond the sky.

Those from out of town were Rev. W. H. Rice, Lamoine; Mrs. S. J. Young, North Lamoine; Mrs. E. D. Miller, Portland; Mrs. H. L. Myrick and two children, Mrs. Roy Sargent and daughter, Mrs. Sabra Bickford, Winter Harbor.

Aug. 23. C.

## PROSPECT HARBOR.

Mrs. Ella V. Johns, of East Boston, is a guest for two weeks at Alfred Hamilton's.

Miss Adelaide Bunker, of Franklin, recently visited her sister, Mrs. C. C. Larrabee.

Miss Susie Over is spending the week with Mrs. C. B. Colwell, at South Hancock.

Miss Margaret Moore has concluded her vacation and returned to Brooklyn, N. Y. Miss Moore is to remain a few weeks longer.

The annual fair, which this year was for the free public library, was very successful. The parcel-post booth was a great source of income. The association will be able to add a few new books and keep the library running at least through the winter.

Aug. 23. C.

George Cole, of Auburn, spent a few days here last week, and to accompany

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Then you realize the utter weakness that robs ambition, destroys appetite, and makes work a burden.

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If you are run down, tired, nervous, overworked or lack strength, get Scott's Emulsion to-day. It is free from alcohol.

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his son Arthur to Auburn where he will enter Edward Little high school.

Miss Lotie Johns, of East Boston, is a guest of relatives here.

Miss Ida Guptill, of Alliston, Mass., was a guest of Mrs. J. S. Coombs last week.

Mrs. C. C. Larrabee went to Franklin Friday for a short visit with her parents.

John S. Coombs was called to Corea the last of the week by the serious illness of his brother James.

Mrs. Martha Nutter, of Brooklyn, was a guest of Mrs. Charles Blance recently, before going to Boston for the winter.

The Pythian Sisters enjoyed an outing one day last week on an automobile ride to Tunk Pond, where they had a picnic lunch.

Miss Lillian Randall, teacher of home economics at U. of M., gave an interesting lecture here Friday evening, under the auspices of the library association. Her subject, "Efficiency in the Home," made an appeal to all thinking women, and was much appreciated.

Aug. 30. C.

## MEMORIAL RESOLUTIONS.

The Supreme Ruler, in His infinite wisdom, has seen fit to call hence our respected brother, Oliver Young, of Schoodic lodge, Knights of Pythias. He will not meet with us again on this earth, but we trust we will meet in Heaven.

Resolved, That we extend our sympathy to his family in their great loss, and hope they will be reconciled, believing they will all meet again in Heaven.

Resolved, That our charter be draped in mourning for thirty days, and a copy of these resolutions sent to his family and one to THE ELLSWORTH AMERICAN for publication.

J. M. WILLIAMS,  
WILLIAM STEWART,  
BERT D. JOY,  
Committee.

## WEST SULLIVAN.

C. H. Abbott and wife, of Bangor, were in town Sunday.

The Methodist church picnic was held at Falls Point Saturday.

E. F. Clapham and wife went to Etna last week for a short visit.

Dr. Clarence E. Holt and wife, of Bangor, were guests at Dr. H. A. Holt's Sunday.

Miss Florence Hysom has been at home from her work at Northeast Harbor a few days.

Pearl Bailey, who is employed on the State road at Dedham, was in town Saturday.

William Thomas, Jr., has returned to Boston after visiting his mother, Mrs. William Thomas.

Mrs. Leonard Lawson and daughter Phyllis, of Bar Harbor, are guests at the home of A. P. Havey.

Mrs. Harry Swainamer and daughter, who have been visiting at Howard Gordon's, have returned to Boston.

Eleven Foresters responded to the invitation to visit the court at Waltham last week, and report a delightful time.

Mrs. Sarah Fifield, of Stonington, and Miss Susie Over, of Prospect Harbor, were guests of Mrs. H. H. Havey last week.

Miss Edna Havey has gone to Rumford Point to teach. She was accompanied by Miss Enna Gleason, of Livermore Falls, who has been her guest.

Postmaster J. S. Doyle and wife recently entertained Mrs. Hannah Doyle, of Franklin, Ellery Doyle and wife, of Lewiston, and Joseph Doyle, of Milford, Mass.

A special town meeting was held at K. of P. hall Saturday afternoon, when it was voted to submit the plans for the piece of State-aid road to be built for the eastern end of the town, to the public for bids, the lowest bid to be accepted.

Aug. 30. M.

## NORTH HANCOCK.

Mrs. A. E. Googins is visiting her parents in Fort Fairfield.

L. M. Scott, wife and son Lynn, were week-end guests of C. E. Googins and wife.

Mrs. Bernice Abbot left this morning for Bangor, to attend Miss Seal's business college.

Mrs. Clarence Stratton and brother, John Williams, of Fort Fairfield, are visiting relatives in Seal Harbor.

Miss Bertha Cline returned to Boston Sunday, after her vacation with the parents, G. P. Cline and wife.

Mrs. Henry West and two children, and Miss Rose Little, of Worcester, Mass., were recent guests of Mrs. Stella Stratton.

Mrs. Carrie Springer, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harry Maddocks, at North Leeds, returned home Friday.

Aug. 30. ANON.

## FRENCHBORO.

Mrs. Cora Lunt is visiting in Bar Harbor.

Mrs. Joseph Cornell, with two children, of Boston, is visiting her brother, Nathan Osier.

Miss Jessie Studley, of Waldoboro, is spending her vacation with Bert Perkins and wife.

Mrs. Joseph Lunt, who spent her vacation with her brother, in Boston and Camden, has returned home.

Glen Lunt and Mrs. Mary E. Lunt were married at Rockland Aug. 19, by Rev. W. I. Newton. All wish them happiness.

Aug. 20. G.

## EDEN.

Mrs. Florence Valley, of Boston, was in town recently.

Maurice Cleaves, of Bar Harbor, is the guest of Charles Ladd.

Bion Jordan last week was burned quite badly about the face by hot lead.

Sigfred Hansen and wife, of Waltham, were guests of Mrs. B. V. Grant last week.

Master Clinton Smith, of Bar Harbor, is with his grandmother, Mrs. E. E. Leland.

Mrs. Ansel Higgins and daughter Muriel, of Portland, are guests of Mrs. H. W. Jellison.

Aug. 30. V.

## COUNTY NEWS

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## HOOPER REUNION.

At the ninth annual reunion of the Hooper family August 18, at Camp Tpericelle, George's pond. Thirty-five members and six visitors enjoyed a pleasant day's outing. All especially enjoyed the dinner which was spread upon the tables, beneath the oaks. Supper was served in the camp.

No other officers being present, the meeting was called to order by the secretary. Dr. E. C. Hooper was chosen to act as president during the meeting. Officers were chosen as follows: President, Dr. E. C. Hooper, Winslow; vice-president, Fred Woodworth, Franklin; secretary and treasurer, Carolyn E. Hooper, Franklin; committee on arrangements, William E. Giles and Carleton Woodworth; committee on entertainment, Nancy H. Smith, Mary E. Dyer, Agnes S. Joy and Carolyn E. Hooper.

Letters were read from Ins T. Hooper, of Winslow, and Addie R. Barron, of Ellsworth. It was voted not to send cards of invitation for reunion of 1916, to be held on the third Wednesday of August, 1916, but to issue a general invitation in the paper to all descendants of the Hooper family.

Aug. 23. T.

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Mrs. Phillips Eaton gave an afternoon tea last Friday.

Miss Smith, of Boston, is a guest of Mrs. Moses Hawkins.

Edgar White and wife, of Boston, are guests of Mrs. Ida Boynton.

Robert Lincoln, of Cambridge, Mass., was a recent guest at "The Bristol".

The second annual fair of the village aid society last Tuesday was a success socially and financially. The hall was prettily

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The booths were attractive with many useful and fancy articles, cooked food and home-made candy. A pleasing program was presented in the evening, consisting of vocal and instrumental solos, readings and an interesting exhibition by three Camp Fire girls, showing some of the work that is done in this organization. A dance followed. The net proceeds were about \$60.

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Aug. 30. H.

You can play P. A. both ways!

Prince Albert is a regular double-header for a single admission; a two-bagger with the bases full and two out in the ninth! Yes, sir, it pleases the jimmy pipe smoker just as it satisfies the cigarette roller! You can't put P. A. in wrong, because it has everything any man ever hankered for in the tobacco line! The patented process fixes that—and takes out the bite and parch!

Now, you listen to this nation-wide smoke news, men, because we tell you P. A. will come across like it was an old friend. You'll get fond of it on the first fire up, it's so good, and so cool, and so chummy!

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We tell you Prince Albert will put new joykins into your palate! If you roll 'em, P. A. will sound a new note as to just how good the makin's can be! Realize that men everywhere—all over the world—are smoking Prince Albert tobacco. That certainly ought to put a lead-me-to-it whisper in your ear!

Prince Albert is sold everywhere in toppy red bags, 5c; tidy red tins, 10c, and in handsome pound and half-pound tin humidors; also, in that dandy pound crystal-glass humidor with the sponge-moistener top that keeps the tobacco at the high point of perfection.

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Aug. 30. H.

## ATLANTIC.

Mrs. Gertrude Foster and three children, of Rowley, Mass., are with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Joyce.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Joyce and little daughter Dorothy are spending the week-end with Mrs. Charles Harding at Gott's Island.

There was a sociable at Seaside ball Tuesday afternoon. Ice-cream and cake were served by nine girls. Proceeds, about \$10.30.

Mrs. Annie Staples and son Forrest and her daughter, Mrs. Florence Sears, and children, of Cambridge, Mass., are visiting relatives here.

Aug. 23. J. E. M.

## SALISBURY COVE.

Miss Erna Soule, of Smyrna Mills, is a guest at Lester McFarland's.

Miss Thelma Johnson has returned from Southwest Harbor, where she has spent two months.

Clifford Wilson and wife, of Portland, have spent the past week with Mrs. Wilson's brother, Leon L. Smith.

The funeral services of Thomas S. Liscomb were held on Monday afternoon at the house, conducted by Mr. Andem. Sincere sympathy is extended to Mrs. Liscomb and the son, G. Arthur Liscomb.

Aug. 27. R.

## MANSET.

Capt. William King, of Brooklyn, spent the week-end at home.

Mrs. Guy Stanley and daughter left Sunday for their home in Connecticut.

Mrs. Roland Stanley and two children, of Harrington, are visiting at Mrs. Ellen Stanley's.

Aug. 30. LILAC.

Itching piles provoke profanity but profanity won't remove them. Doan's Ointment is recommended for itching, bleeding or protruding piles. 50c at any drug store.—Advt.

## COUNTY NEWS

## FRANKLIN.

Ellery Doyle and wife returned to Lewiston Saturday.

Mrs. M. A. Browne left Tuesday on her return to Washington, D. C.

Robert M. Woodruff and wife left Friday for their home at Ridley Park, Pa.

Ralph Worcester and family were week-end visitors at their former home here.

Misses Marion and Louise Donnell, of Ellsworth, are visiting relatives in town.

Rev. Murchie A. Gordon and family returned to their home at Randolph Friday.

Dr. C. S. Underhill and wife are home from a visit in New Hampshire and Massachusetts.

Gilbert Crabtree, a Civil war veteran, died Saturday evening at the home of Julius Darling.

Cecil Butler and family, who returned from Bluehill Saturday, leave for Plainfield, Conn., Wednesday.

Miss Carrie A. Whittaker, of Chelsea, Mass., is spending her vacation at the home of Mrs. E. B. Gay.

Misses Meta Springer and Helen Macomber, who are to teach in Plainfield, Conn., will leave Friday.

Mrs. Belle Googins, of Trenton, who came Monday from Waltham, is the guest of H. P. Blaisdell and wife.

Mrs. J. W. Blaisdell, W. H. Card and wife, and Lyle Fernald were visitors in Bangor Friday and Saturday.

George L. Edes and wife accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Helen M. Worcester, left for Newport, N. H., Monday.

Eugene Bunker's many friends are glad to know he has improved in health, sufficiently to return to his position at Wypitlock.

Mrs. Edith Robbins and daughter Elaine, who have spent a week with her mother, Mrs. Belle Eldridge returned to Boston Saturday.

Mrs. Harry Havey, who has been at Swan's Island a few weeks with her mother, is in town for a short stay before leaving for Presque Isle.

Miss Ethel Eldridge, was the week-end guest of her mother, returning from a vacation spent with her sister, Mrs. Harrison, in New York. She left Monday for Bangor, where she is employed.

Aug. 30. H.

## NORTH LAMOINE.

Walter Davis visited his mother in Waterville recently.

Miss Anna M. Young visited friends in Bar Harbor last week.

Mrs. I. N. Salisbury, who has spent the past two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Harry Hodgkins, at East Lamoine, returned home Friday.

Mrs. Blanche Walker and family, who

have spent the past month with her parents, Ira Hagan and wife, will return to their home in Taunton, Mass. this week.

Aug. 30. Y.

## BASS HARBOR.

Foster Coffin, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is here.

Maurice Thurston has purchased an automobile.

Ronald F. Davis left Sunday for Cambridge, Mass., after his vacation here.

Milo Boyd and wife, who have been visiting here have returned to Wilmington, Del.

Benjamin Murphy and wife and Miss Frances Murphy made a trip by auto to Moosehead Lake last week. While away, Mr. Murphy exchanged his automobile for a new car.

Aug. 30. X. Y. Z.

## COREA.

George Hickman, who has been quite ill, is



## COUNTY NEWS.

## SUTTON.

Mrs. Ralph Sargent has returned from a trip to her people in Cherryfield.

Miss Helen Ulmer, of Rockland, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. William Freeman.

Several are looking at land on the island with the idea of building summer homes.

Miss Hinchman's sisters, from Sea Girt, N. J. are visiting her at the Kendall cottage.

Harold Ulmer will leave to finish up his studies in Rockland high school on Sept. 10.

Grover Morse and wife, of Islesford, visited Mrs. Arthur Sargent a few days recently.

The new schooner Herbert Loring, under freight at the Burnham wharf last week for Leslie R. Barker.

William A. Woodworth, of White Plains, N. Y., is visiting his cousins at "Bunchberry" bungalow.

The summer has been a good season for all here. Everybody has been busy, and the outlook for fall work is good.

William Burnham, the largest property owner on the island, has been quite ill the past four weeks, but is better at this time.

Arthur L. Sargent is sailing the Talley and King families, Lawrence L. Bunker, the Church family, and Philip E. Bunker, the Hinchman family.

The school children are getting ready for the fall term of schools away from home. Ethel Bunker will attend Southwest Harbor high; Philip Bunker will attend Northeast Harbor high, and Harry Bunker will attend Southwest Harbor grammar.

Aug. 30. B.

## BROOKSVILLE.

N. V. Tibbets, wife and daughter Dorothy were week-end guests of their sister, Mrs. L. T. Morris.

Miss Prudence Saunders, of North Bluehill, has been visiting her grandparents, J. H. Billings and wife.

Congratulations are extended Rev. C. F. Atkins and wife on the birth of a son last week. Mrs. Atkins is at Bangor.

Aug. 30. A.

## ENTERTAINMENT.

Friday evening a delightful entertainment was given in the Baptist church by Mrs. Walker Babson and friends. There was a large attendance from Brooksville and the surrounding towns and summer cottages, the church being filled. The proceeds, \$40, were given to the church.

The music by Prof. George L. Lansing, of Boston, who is spending the summer at Bluehill, was exceptional. The little play was a great success, each part being well taken. The program:

Mandolin duet.  
Misses Gladys and Vora Moore  
Sketch.....Miss Rae Halley and Miss  
Eather Kaufmann  
Mandolin solo.....Miss Vora Moore  
Play, "A Case of Suspicion." Those in the cast were: Harry Chatto, Vora Moore, Isabel Babson, Rae Halley, Eather Kaufmann, Dick Rollins, Seth Blodgett, Ralph Davis, Morris Chatto, Gladys Moore

Refreshments were kindly donated by friends and members of the church. Many thanks are extended to them and to Bentley Grindle, John Bowden and Capt. Ernest H. S. for their services.

Aug. 30. D. M. T.

## WEST BROOKSVILLE.

Mrs. Phebe Tapley is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mary Wasson.

Prof. Elmer Von Mack left this morning for Cambridge, Mass.

Mrs. Jennie Church, of Bangor, is at her cottage here for a few weeks.

Miss Arlene K. Cummings entertained a few of her little friends Friday, Aug. 27.

Miss S. E. Ellison and daughter Sadie came from Bangor Thursday, and will be here two weeks.

The many friends of Rev. C. F. Atkins and wife are congratulating them on the birth of a daughter.

Capt. Ira W. Tapley and family have closed their cottage here and returned to their home in New York.

Mrs. George A. Stevens has gone to Providence, R. I., to see her husband, Capt. Stevens, who is ill in a hospital there.

Donald and Dorothy Jones left Saturday for their home in Arlington, Mass., accompanied by their aunt, Miss Lucy W. Jones.

Mrs. John Noble and daughter Isabel, and Miss Putnam, all of Cambridge, Mass., and Mrs. George H. Tapley made a trip to Ellsworth by automobile Saturday.

Departures on Saturday included Miss Dorothy H. Farrow, for New London, Conn.; Miss Mildred Smith, for Worcester, Mass.; Miss Helen French for Orange, Mass.; Paul Woodard, for Princeton, Mass.; Miss Ethel Stevens, for Brockton, Mass.; Mrs. L. A. Stewart, Miss Saria Rusby and Olney Perkins, for Springfield, Mass.

Aug. 30. TOMSON.

## BLUEHILL.

Basil Barrett has returned from his trip to California.

George L. Lansing and wife have returned to their home in Boston.

Dr. Whitney and family, of Somerville, Mass., spent the week-end in town.

Mrs. John W. Kane and son Sidney are at home after spending the summer away.

The upper part of Max Abram's store is being rebuilt into a hall to be occupied by the K. of P. lodge.

Steps are being taken for the organization of a village improvement society. Any person desiring to become a member should leave his name with Mrs. Eliza Herick. The society has already inaugurated village improvement work by placing a barrel for waste paper near the postoffice.

A large and appreciative audience

greeted Mrs. Florence Kelly, of New York, Friday evening, when she gave an interesting talk upon "Suffrage," speaking principally of the federal suffrage amendment which will come before Congress this coming winter, and the Maine State convention of suffragists to be held at Portland September 2. Mrs. Kelly is an interesting speaker, and held the close attention of her audience. At the close she suggested that questions be asked, and several availed themselves of the opportunity.

Aug. 30. H.

## NORTH SULLIVAN.

J. B. Havey spent Sunday in East Sullivan.

Mrs. Lettie Cummins, of Berlin, N. H., is a guest of Mrs. Pearl Tripp.

The Sunday school picnic at Falls point Saturday was enjoyed by about seventy.

Rev. H. B. Haskell lectured on Mohammedanism in the church Sunday evening.

Clyde Robertson returned home from Boston Tuesday, making the trip by automobile.

James Abel and family, of Kittery, are visiting his parents, Robert Abel and wife.

Raymond Taylor, of Arlington Heights, Mass., is visiting his parents, Alex Taylor and wife.

A party of Foresters visited the court in Waltham Thursday night. They report a delightful time.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Butler on the birth of a son, on Aug. 28.

Mrs. Hazel Robertson, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Bragdon, in Franklin, has returned home.

E. K. Bunker, wife and son Gordon, of West Goshen, were week-end guests of Mrs. Bunker's mother, Mrs. Angela Moon.

Aug. 30. H.

## EAST SULLIVAN.

Henry Stevens, of Everett, Mass., is visiting his sister, Mrs. William Lord.

Our former neighbors, Eben Smith and wife, of Franklin, were in town last week.

Mrs. Robert C. Wooster and son Alton, of Milo, are visiting Mrs. Wooster's sister, Mrs. E. G. Preble.

Augustus E. Sawyer and wife, of Jacksonville, Fla., are again with their daughter, Mrs. H. I. Thomsen.

George L. Osgood, wife and daughters Hilda, Margaret and Priscilla left yesterday in their automobile for their home in Ayer, Mass.

The ice-cream sale and victrola concert at the church Tuesday evening was a pleasant affair. Miss Brown's singing was greatly enjoyed. Net proceeds \$12.11.

Paul D. Robertson, Alton Robertson and Clifford White went to Boston last week and came home with two Hudson cars. Gipsan Hanna purchased a Buick in Bangor.

Mrs. Winslow has closed the bungalow and returned to her home in Brockton, Mass., accompanied by Miss Brown. The Winslows and their guests have identified themselves with all the social doings of the summer, and leave pleasant memories.

Aug. 30. H.

## WEST HANCOCK.

Mrs. Mary Milliken is visiting relatives at Isle au Haut.

The Sunday school has purchased a new organ for the schoolhouse.

Herman Sinclair, who is employed at Seal Harbor, spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Mrs. Mary Foren, of Brockton, Mass., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fred E. Milliken.

Miss Jane Dennison, of Brunswick, has been the guest of Mrs. Mary R. Butler two weeks.

The pie sociable which was held at the schoolhouse Saturday evening, was well patronized.

Edna Graves, who has spent the summer with her grandparents, C. P. Graves and wife, has returned to her home in Boston.

Mrs. Carrie Bridges and two sons, who have been spending a few weeks at their old home here, will return to New Jersey soon.

Herbert C. Shute, who was injured in a runaway recently at Bar Harbor, breaking his ankle, is getting on as well as could be expected.

Aug. 30. L. M.

## OTTER CREEK.

In the absence of the pastor, the service Sunday afternoon was conducted by Rev. F. A. Leitch, of the Methodist church of Bar Harbor.

The church fair Aug. 26 was a success. Proceeds, about \$221. The society thanks all who in any way helped to make the sale a success.

Aug. 30. G.

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## SOUTHWEST HARBOR.

Leon Wilson spent a week at home recently.

Henry Trask made a business trip to Sorrento last week.

Dr. Griffin fell on the sidewalk one day last week, dislocating his shoulder.

Mr. Mordecai will leave about the middle of September for Princeton, to finish his theological course. It is hoped some minister will be found to supply for the winter.

Mrs. Fred Wilson, of Seattle, Wash., is visiting her husband's relatives here. Her daughter Katharine, who spent a part of last summer here, is assisting her father in office work.

Mrs. Leon Wilson went on Friday of last week to the home of Mrs. Rufus Trundy, where she is to board for a few weeks. Saturday evening a fine little boy was born to her.

Rev. Mr. Reeves, a summer visitor, gave an excellent sermon at the Congregational church Sunday morning. This is probably the last of the series of sermons contributed by the visiting clergymen, who take such helpful interest in the church and the village improvement society.

Aug. 30. SPRAY

## AURORA.

Miss Ada Dorr, of Portland, is visiting here.

Raymond Bridges and wife, of Vermont, are visiting Mrs. Bridges' brother, Russell Mace.

Mrs. Pearl Webber and daughters Hazel and Ethel, of Athol, Mass., are visiting here.

June Mills, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. F. O. Silsby, in Ellsworth, is home.

Mrs. W. N. Crosby and little son Norris visited Mrs. F. O. Silsby in Ellsworth recently.

Carroll Mace, wife and little son Albert, of Bangor, are visiting his brother Russell.

Aug. 23. C.

## OTIS.

Miss Edith Jellison is home from Bangor, for a vacation of two weeks.

The Newman family, of Mariaville, and Los Angeles, who engaged one of the cottages at the lake in advance, came Monday for a week's rusticating and fishing.

Mrs. Stephen Parker, of Billerica, Mass., is visiting her husband's uncle, Frank Parker, at the Young homestead. Mr. Parker, sr., of Boston, has been with the Young family for many years, and his artistic grading of roads and gardens, setting out trees, and other valuable work around the home, has added greatly to its attractiveness.

Aug. 23. DAVIS.

## SOUTH BLUEHILL.

John Bowen, of Somerville, Mass., is at Alec Briggs' for two weeks.

Mrs. Gray, of Bucksport, has been visiting her grandson, Cecil Gray.

Guy Day, of Boston, spent last week with his mother, Mrs. Charles Ferrin.

Mrs. Wesley Henderson of Seaville, spent the week-end with W. J. Johnson and wife.

Misses Viola Day, of Chicago, and Elsie Sibley, of Somerville, Mass., who have spent the season at Charles Ferrin's, have returned home.

Aug. 23. C.

## LAMOINE.

Dr. H. G. Hodgkins, Miss Helen and Allen Hodgkins have returned to Waterville. The rest of the family will go this week.

Mrs. Marcia Chamberlain, Mrs. Cassie King, Mrs. Jones and Miss Katherine Jones spent last week in Lubec, making the trip by automobile.

Dr. H. A. Holt and wife, of West Sullivan, Dr. C. E. Holt and wife, of Bangor, and Capt. A. B. Holt and wife, of South Goshen, were guests Sunday at Dr. H. G. Hodgkins'.

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## NO CHILDREN IN THE MINES.

## California Eliminates Children Under Sixteen From Mines and Quarries.

Among the new limits established by the California child labor law of 1915 is a sixteen year limit for mines and quarries. California has mining products valued at more than \$63,000,000, according to the 1910 census, but she has never before set an age limit for the children who might be employed in their production.

Now that a sixteen year limit has been adopted no fourteen or fifteen year old trapper boys will be found among the victims of an explosion, as was the case in West Virginia last year, nor will their thoughtlessness be the cause of disasters in which others are killed, as it sometimes is where boys under sixteen are permitted to work in mines.

Mining has the highest fatal accident rate of any industry, but quarrying is not far behind. A signal boy was crushed to death by a falling stone in



Photo by National Child Labor Committee. BOYS WHO REMOVE SLATE FROM COAL IN THE BREAKERS.

a Maine quarry last fall. The occupation of signal boy is not generally supposed to be dangerous, but it is evident from this that any occupation in a quarry is unsafe for young boys and that a sixteen year limit is imperative. A number of mining states having both mines and quarries have adopted a sixteen year limit for mines only, forgetting that the dangers from falling stone and blasting make the presence of young boys in quarries a risk to be avoided.

California's action is regarded as particularly significant by the National Child Labor Committee in view of the "law of recurrence" which Dr. Felix Adler spoke about at the Eleventh Annual Conference on Child Labor. Dr. Adler said that the evils of child labor had followed industrial development from England to New York and Massachusetts, from there to the south and from the south would go to the west unless the west prevented it by enacting child labor laws in advance. Child labor in the mines will not "recur" in California.

## FORESTALLING CHILD LABOR.

By FELIX ADLER.

The question is sometimes asked: "Why have a National Child Labor Committee? Why not have state committees and let these co-operate?" One sufficient answer to this is that the appearance of child labor in those states in which there is as yet little or no manufacturing must be forestalled, and a national committee is needed to this end. Anti-child labor laws must pre-empt the ground before a greedy industrialism can stretch forth its hands to grasp the child. The law of periodicity, the law of recurrence, that has hitherto obtained in the matter of child labor must be defeated. England began, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, New York followed suit. The same inconceivable outrages on human feelings repeat themselves again and again. Whenever a predominantly agricultural community develops into an industrial stage the horrors exposed by Lord Shaftesbury tend to recur. Mankind does not readily learn by experience. The warning lessons of the past are often writ in water. Thus the industrial states of the north simply stepped into the foul footsteps of early English capitalism, and the south, as soon as it became industrial, hastened to repeat the same doleful story. The great states of the Pacific and the west must thwart that horrible law and make it impossible that the same conditions should there grow up. That is the one main object of a national committee.

## THE CHILDREN'S CRY.

I said: "I am poor this year, and the war is hard. I cannot give to the things I love to aid. So this must go, and this, in the great discard, And the children must suffer, too, I am much afraid."

But I didn't know how they cry in the night And pluck at your skirts and moan, How they cry with the voice of your heart's delight And the faces your dead have worn.

There are boys that work all night in the crystal dust, There are girls who spin all day at the whirling wheels, And how shall I face my dead with my broken trust When the "Inasmuch as ye did it not" reveals?

I couldn't bear their cry in the night, The clutch of their little hands, I must do my best with the widow's mite To loosen the iron bands.

—L. B.

## USE SENSE IN EATING.

## A Person May Be Fat and Still Lack Proper Nourishment.

The majority of people do not understand that a person may be fat, excessively fat, and still be underfed and weak from lack of proper nourishment.

One may eat to excess of starch foods, hot breads, oils and sweets and as a result be rolling in fat and at the same time show a severe case of malnutrition, evidenced by lack of strength in muscular effort or mental concentration.

The system needs these foods, for they are known as the "fuel foods" because they furnish the body heat, but the system also needs an abundance of the very elements of which the body or, rather, the muscular fiber is composed. These muscle making foods are fresh meat, eggs and milk, fresh vegetables and fruits.

If one is in the habit of eating rather heartily of mixed diet and is growing fat upon it, then reduce the amount of sweets, starches and fats, and you will find plenty of nourishment in the muscle building foods.

In addition to attention to diet, however, attention must be paid to the need of fresh air and exercise if one would keep from becoming too fat. If you would have a good figure practice deep breathing and exercise in addition to cutting down on your diet.

The greatest problem of conservation relates not to forests or mines, but to national vitality, and to conserve the latter we must begin by conserving the child.—Detroit Times.

## Infant Mortality.

According to American Medicine, "the real reason why there are 300,000 unnecessary deaths every year among our babies is that the fathers cannot make enough money to keep them alive. One in every eight born is foredoomed to early death for this reason and no other. It is not necessarily straight starvation, but precious near it, as well as deprivation of comforts which are necessities for a baby. If the father makes more than \$25 a week the death rate of his infants is less than eighty-four per thousand; if he makes less than \$10 they die at the rate of over 250!"

## Remedied.

A stranded but haughty "leading lady" was obliged to put up at a dilapidated country hotel. She glanced frowningly about the office, reluctantly signed the register and took the brass key from the proprietress.

"Is there any water in my room?" she demanded.

"Why, there was," replied the proprietress. "There was, but I had the roof fixed."—Chicago Herald.

## A Joy He Knows Not.

No matter how proud a man may be of his new hat, he can never know the bliss of replying to admirers, "Yes, and I made that myself from materials I had left over, and I think it's every bit as good as the woman's next door, which cost \$20."—Pittsburgh Gazette-Times.

## It's a Funny World.

Many a well meaning man who starts on his day with a determination to radiate cheerfulness only succeeds in setting folks wondering what on earth he's grinning at.—Milwaukee Journal.

Men know not how great a revenue frugality is.—Cicero.

## COUNTY NEWS.

## NORTHEAST HARBOR.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester D. Burr are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter on Aug. 23.

Mrs. Randall Farrell and Mrs. Delaney Tinker, who have been visiting relatives here, have returned to Boston.

The Klark-Urban company closed a successful engagement at the Pastime Saturday night, with "The Squaw Man."

## FAIR AND GYMKHANA.

Tuesday of last week, a county fair and gymkhana was held. In spite of the unpleasant weather, there were several hundred people in attendance, and all pronounced it the best affair of its kind ever held in Northeast Harbor. Several new and interesting features were introduced. The midway was of the leading features, with its merry-go-round, wheels of fortune, ring games, and other attractions. A band from Ellsworth helped to enliven the day.

Shortly after 9 a. m. the parade started from the Neighborhood house. In the procession were the band, horsemen and Boy Scouts.

Next came the athletic events, which kept the ball rolling until the hour for lunch. At 3.30 came the gymkhana attractions and the sports on horseback. The gymkhana program consisted of ten interesting events, among them being obstacle potato, egg and spoon races.

The cups which were given to the winner of each event were presented by Mrs. James Byrne, Jacob S. Diston, Mrs. Percy H. Clark, Mrs. W. J. Elliott and Charlton Yarnall.

In the evening a gymkhana dance was given in the Neighborhood house. It was a great success. Meyer Davis' orchestra played. The decorations consisted of beech leaves and Japanese lanterns.

Aug. 31.

## FRANKLIN ROAD.

Miss Dorothy Marshall is home from Brewer.

E. L. McKay was in Bangor and Portland last week.

Mrs. John N. Marshall, who has been ill, is able to sit up.

Mrs. Addie Allen, of Boston, who has been visiting C. M. Martin and wife, has returned home.

Aug. 30.

## HANCOCK FAIR.

## Premium List of Pamola Grange Fair to Be Held September 28.

## COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS.

O. W. FOSS C. W. STRATTON  
A. E. CRABTREE LOLA M. CRABTREE  
CLARA F. JOHNSON MARY F. ABBOTT

The second annual fair of Pamola Grange, Hancock, will be held at Hancock Tuesday, Sept. 28, forenoon and afternoon, with a ball in the evening.

The exhibits will be at the town hall. A program of sports has been arranged for the forenoon and afternoon, near the hall.

Miss Marie Gurdy, of the extension department of the University of Maine, with a canning outfit, will give a demonstration in home canning.

Admission to the hall, 15 cents. Dinner, served at 12 o'clock, 35 cents. Supper, served at 6 o'clock, 30 cents. Dance tickets, 50 cents.

TO EXHIBITORS.  
Obtain entry blanks and any special information desired from the head of the department in which you are interested.

All exhibits must be in the hall by 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS.  
In Charge of Chester W. Stratton.

Best general exhibit, \$3.00.

Second best general exhibit, 1.00.

Best

Peck of potatoes, .25

Mangel beets, .25

table beets, .25

table carrots, .25

rutabaga turnips, .25

green tomatoes, .25

Place of ripe tomatoes, .25

1/2 doz. head of cabbage, .25

cauliflower, .25

Two squash, each variety, .25

citron, each variety, .25

pumpkins, each variety, .25

Largest pumpkin, .25

squash, .25

cabbage, .25

citron, .25

Doz. ears sweet corn, .25

flint corn, .25

Two quarts oats, .25

barley, .25

peas, .25

yellow-eye beans, .25

POULTRY DEPARTMENT.

In Charge of O. W. Foss.

Pair, fowl and cock, of .50

Plymouth Rocks, .50

Rhode Island Reds, .50

Leghorns, .50

Wyandottes, .50

Orpingtons, .50

Black duck and drake, .50

Indian Runner duck and drake, .50

Turkey and gobbler, 1.50

Goose and gander, .50

LIVE STOCK.

In Charge of O. W. Foss.

Best

Guernsey cow, .75

Durham cow, .75

Jersey cow, .75

Two-year-old heifer, .75

One-year-old heifer, .50

Yoke of oxen, 1.50

Yoke of steers, 1.00

Bull, .75

Sow with litter of six or more pigs, 1.50

Three breeding sheep, 1.50

Pair work horses, 3.00

Single work horse, 1.50

FRUIT DEPARTMENT.

In charge of Miss Lola Crabtree.

Best

Apples, collection of six varieties, .50

Macintosh Reds, five specimens, .25

Waltham, .25

Wolf River, .25

Northern Spy, .25

Russets, .25

Duchess, .25

Baldwins, .25

Fameuse, .25

Pewaukee, .25

Dudley, .25

Gideons, .25

Tolman Sweets, .25

Starks, .25

Greenings, .25

Opalescent, .25

Red Astrachan, .25

Alexandria, .25

Gravenstein, .25

Kings, .25

Strawberry, .25

Crab, .25

Pears, .35

Plums, .35

FLOWERS.

In Charge of Miss Lola Crabtree.

Best

Dahlia, .15

Asters, .15

Pansies, .15

Sweet peas, .15

HOUSEHOLD DEPARTMENT.

In Charge of Mrs. Clara Johnson.

Best 2d Best

Collection preserves, .50

Jelly, .50

Pickles, .50

canned vegetables, .50

Best

Loaf white bread, .15

brown bread, .15

graham bread, .15

Braided rug, .25

Drawn rug, .25

Crocheted rug, .25

Silk quilt, .25

Woolen quilt, .25

Patchwork quilt, .25

Prizes will be given all single exhibits.

LADIES' FANCY WORK.

In charge of Mrs. Mary Abbott.

Best

Sofa pillows, embroidered, .25

fillet, .25

cross stitch, .25

Collars, fillet, .25

tatting, .40

Irish crochet, .30

Bead work, bags, .20

chains, .20

Towels, embroidered, .20

fillet, .20

Swedish, .25

Handkerchiefs, embroidered, .20

tatting, .25

Dollies, embroidered, .30

tatting, .40

Pillow slips, embroidered, .25

Mexican, .35

Lace, knit or crochet, .10

Crochet lunch set, .35  
Lunch set, .35  
Curtains, crochet of Mexican, .35  
Nut baskets, .30  
" .30  
Water set, .30  
Breakfast set, .30  
Lunch set, .35  
Bedspread, crocheted, .40  
Bedspread, embroidered, .35

SPECIAL PREMIUMS.  
Offered by Mrs. Sara S. Abbott for girls under fifteen years of age.

Best  
Loaf of bread, .50  
Plate rolls or biscuit, .50  
Cake, .50  
Exhibit plain sewing, .50  
Exhibit hemstitching, .50

PROGRAM OF SPORTS.  
In charge of A. E. Crabtree.

Forenoon.  
1st 2d  
10.00 Bicycle race, five times around the square, .35 .15

10.30 Potato race, .25 .10  
11.00 Harness race, first prize, one bushel oats; second, whip.  
11.30 Foot race, five times around the square. .35 .15

Afternoon.  
1.00 Climbing greased pole, .25 .15  
1.30 100 yards dash, for boys, .25 .15  
1.45 100 yards dash, for girls, .25 .15  
2.00 Ball game, teams to be announced later.

5.00 Three-legged race, 100 yards, .25 .15  
Entries must be in not later than Saturday, Sept. 25, 1915.

AMHERST.  
Schools begin Sept. 7.

Miss Vera Haslem has gone to Eastbrook to teach.

Horace Dickey and wife, of Easton, are guests of C. M. Smith.

Miss Violet Treadwell, of North Brewer, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Peter McDonald.

Miss Caddie Silsby, who has been employed in Castine, is at home for a short vacation.

There will be a dance at the town hall, Thursday evening, Sept. 2. Mace's orchestra.

J. T. Hyde and wife, of Somerville, Mass., are visiting Mrs. Hyde's sister, Mrs. James Treadwell.

Lyndon Treadwell and wife and Miss Ruth Goodwin, of Ellsworth, were weekend guests of Mr. Treadwell's parents, James Treadwell and wife.

Mrs. Emery Parsons, of Lewiston, and Mrs. George Kneeland, of Hopedale, Mass., are in town, called here by the death of their father, Peter Sumner.

The funeral of Peter Sumner, an old and highly respected citizen of this town, was held at the church Wednesday forenoon, Miss Ida Garland, of Great Pond, officiating. Mr. Sumner was a soldier in the Civil war. His death occurred very suddenly after only a short illness. He leaves a widow, four sons and two daughters.

Aug. 30. C.

EAST LAMONIE.  
Mrs. Lottie Smith, of Bar Harbor, was here Monday.

Mrs. Philena Smith is quite ill. Miss Grace Stratton is with her.

Misses Marjory and Louise Cousins, of Bangor, are at the Cousins homestead.

Miss Ruth Lawton and Miss Paradise, of Boston, are occupying the Lillajoe bungalow.

Arthur Brown and family, of Bar Harbor, were guests of Miss Agnes Boynton over Sunday.

Calvin Bredson and family, of Boston, who have spent the summer here, returned home last week, accompanied by Mrs. Hannah Hunkins, who will spend the winter there.

The last dance of the season will be given at Shore Acres Saturday evening. These weekly dances have added much to the enjoyment of both the townspeople and visitors.

Allen Walker and family, of Quincy, Mass., Pearl Young and family, of Stamford, Conn., and Mr. Taylor and family, of New Haven, Conn., who have spent their vacations here, have returned home.

Aug. 30. N.

ORLAND.  
Mrs. Mary Dix is improving, after a serious illness.

William S. Hutchins is making arrangements for the annual grange fair, and intends to make Sept. 22, 1915, go down in history as the best Orland fair on record.

Nancy, widow of Reuben Hutchins, died early Monday morning. Mrs. Hutchins' health was greatly impaired since a critical illness in the spring, but she was apparently as well Sunday as she had been for several weeks. About 4 p. m. she was stricken suddenly, and the end came twelve hours later. She leaves one daughter—Mrs. D. P. O'Hearn, one granddaughter and one grandson.

Aug. 30. D.